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GOLD KEY SHOULD WIN AT MACAO

To-morrow's Programme Discussed: Events Very Open CHRISTMAS BELLE FOR LADIES RACE

(BY "MORNING DEW")

The programme to-morrow at Macao is very open indeed and all things considered, those who make the trip will find plenty to amuse themselves at the race course. The handicapping has made things difficult and the task of picking winners is no easy one.

Practically all the ponies entered are making the trip, but notable absentees include Royal Flush and Alexandra Hall, both of which are entered for the mile race for "C" Class. In their absence, Mr. L. T. F.'s Gold Key stands a very good chance of winning the event.

ESK CONSIDERED A CERTAINTY

The programme opens with a long shot might do worse than follow. Whoopie.

CHIEN TANG HANDICAP

In the third race, which is over a mile for "C" Class Ponies Gold Key should get very near as he is in fine fettle now and the flat course at Macao should suit him down to the ground. He is in at a comfortable weight and in the absence of Alexandra Hall and Royal Flush, there is very little opposition. The first is Califorma, a pony which is on the top of his form now. He may upset the favourites, in which case he will pay very well. The second "danger" is Solar Star, who is in at 147 pounds only. The low weight may make all the difference for Mr. Sureton's pony.

THE CHU KING HANDICAP

For the Chu King Handicap, over 6 furlongs, I understand that Esk is considered a certainty. With his weight down to 152 pounds, the pony certainly looks a good bet on paper.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY

(December 9)

(X Moon, 22nd Day)
Auctions.—Lammert's Sale of Household Furniture, Sales Room, 10.30 a.m.

Bazaar.—Diocesan Bazaar, to be opened by Lady Dreyer, St. Paul's Boys' College, Glenside, 11 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—Pilgrimage from Hongkong to Sanchian Island, first resting place of St. Francis Xavier, by S.S. Haining, 9 p.m.

Theatres.
King's:—"Trick for Trick"
Queen's:—"Kongo."
Central:—"The Great Decision"
Oriental:—"Sailor's Luck"
World:—"The Kid"
Majestic:—"King Kong."
Star:—"Love on the Spot."

Dances.
Tamar Dance at Garrison Lecture Hall, 8.30 p.m.

Principal Malls.
Outward for Europe via Suez by Somali 8.30 a.m. and Fushimi Maru 9.30 a.m.; for America and Europe via Siberia by General Pershing 5 p.m.

Sports.
Boxing.—Hongkong Boxing Association's Tournament (Lee Theatre), 9.15 p.m.
Cricket.—First Division, Hongkong C.C. v. Craigengower (L); Second Division, Royal Navy v. Civil Service (L); Craigengower v. R.A.M.C. (L); Police v. St. Joseph's College (F); Royal Engineers v. Hongkong C.C. (F).
Football.—Lai Wah Cup, Chinese v. Civilian; Army v. Navy; Second Division, South China v. Royal Artillery; Third Division,

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Wins Action On Contested Will

London, December 7.
Mr. de Valera, President of the Council of the Irish Free State, successfully defended an action in the Probate Division of the High Court to-day.

The case concerned a will made in favour of Mr. de Valera by a seventy-two-year-old woman reclusive named Miss Polly Fitzpatrick, who bequeathed her entire estate, valued at about £3,000 to the Flanna Fall leader.

The brother of the testatrix contested the validity of the will on the ground that Miss Fitzpatrick, at the time of making the will, was of unsound mind.

The Court decided that Mr. de Valera's counsel had established the validity of the will.

It was stated during the hearing that Mr. de Valera intended to use the money as a trust for public purposes.—Reuter.

Royal Engineers v. South China; Lincoln v. Recreio; L.A.S. v. C.V. Radio Sports; Royal Air Force v. Borderers.
Hockey.—Caer Clark Cup, Y.A. C.A. v. Central British School, 3 p.m.; Recreio First v. Recreio Seconds, 3.15 p.m.; Friendly matches, Medway v. Incongnito; Central British Association v. Cumberland, 4.15 p.m.
Rugby.—Army v. Club (Bookun-poo), 4 p.m.
Yachting.—Royal Hongkong

Selections

Race 1
Pure Music
Blue Plane
Prestwick
Race 2
The Loafer
City of Shanghai
Gallant Fox
Race 3
Gold Key
Jungle Jim
Wakefield
Race 4
Esk
Aida
Darlen
Race 5
Adam
Orlando
Glen Shee
Race 6
Christmas Belle
Gallant Fox
City of Shanghai

Stout opposition is expected in some quarters from Aida. The pony is running very well at the moment and in a short race can give Esk a good run. Darlen ran very well at Happy Valley last week to beat Swale and I fancy he will run into a place again to-morrow afternoon. For those looking for a long shot, Just Imagine or Flying Boy look good.

CAN ADAM WIN?

Over 6 furlongs with 152 pounds on the saddle, Adam looks a good thing for the fifth race, but he will have to step out if he is going to beat Orlando (167) or Glen Shee (143). The former is a known sprinter, and since there is no hill in the Macao course he may pull it off, even with his handicap at 167. Glen Shee too can run well over six furlongs and he is in very light.

Widnes has been allotted 168 pounds, and the weight is too much for the pony. I should be very surprised to see him do well with such a penalty.

LADIES RACE

For the Ladies race, Christmas Belle looks the most promising. City of Shanghai will be there to give the favourite a run for the money, but City of Shanghai will be appearing for the second time to-morrow afternoon in the Ladies race and does not therefore look so formidable as if he were fresh. The same remarks apply to Gallant Fox. The Loafer is down to 140 pounds and with a bit of luck might pull off this race.

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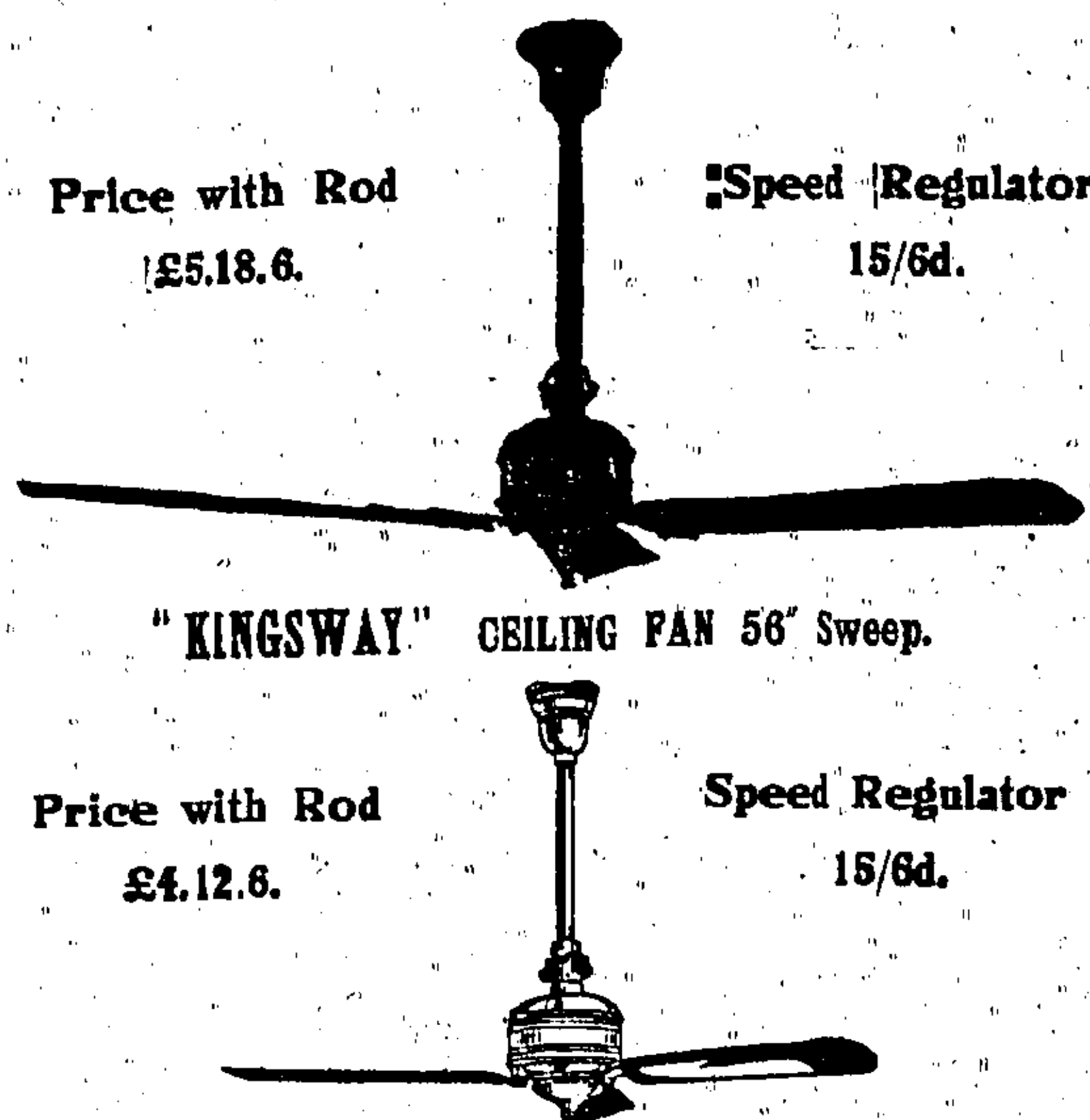
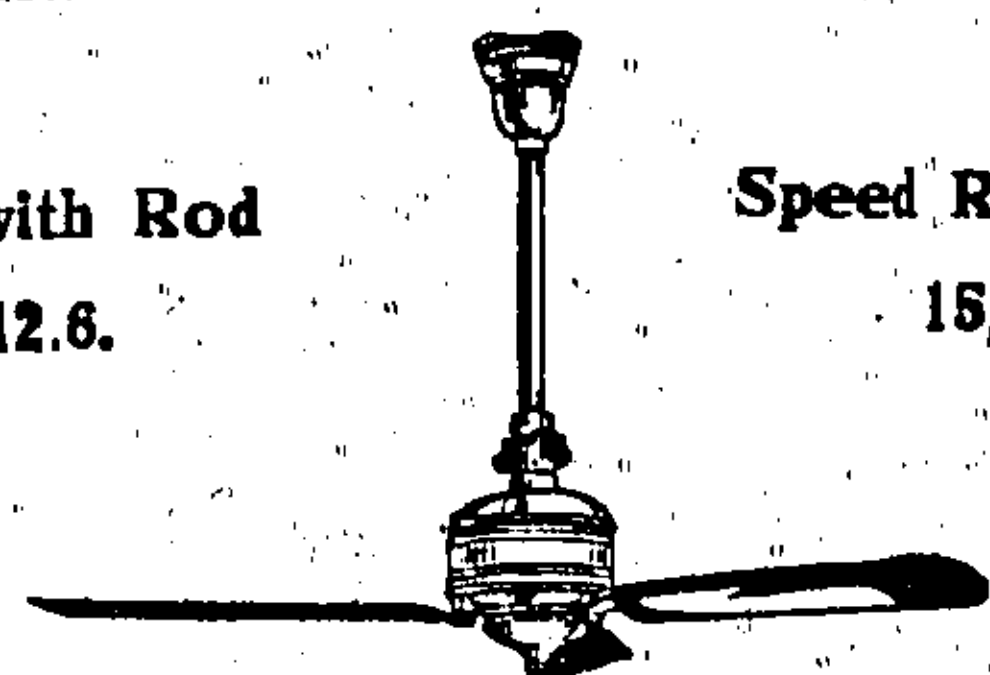
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ENGINEERING AND BUILDING**PUMPING PLANT****Erection of
Emergency Plant**

The prolonged drought has created great difficulties in securing an adequate water supply at various places throughout the country, and many emergency services have been brought into use. An interesting example of one of the latter is afforded by the emergency plant installed for the town of Macclesfield, by which the supply has been increased by some 70,000 gallons per day. To do this a site at Langley, about three miles from the town, was viewed on Saturday morning, September 9, by the waterworks engineer, Mr. Hamson, and in accordance with the instructions of his Committee the construction of a dam was begun at this point across the Fyfe stream, which is fed by four springs on the hill-side. At 10 a.m. on the same day a Medivane pump and the necessary valves and piping were ordered from Messrs. Mather and Platt, Limited, Park Works, Manchester 10, and arrangements were also made to erect an overhead line, so that connection could be made to the mains of the Macclesfield Electricity Supply Co., Ltd., about a quarter of a mile away. This portion of the work was completed by Monday morning. The pump, which is a 2-in. to 3-in. model with a capacity of 3,400 gallons per hour at 100 ft. head, and is driven by a 74-h.p., 400-volt, 50-cycle motor of the squirrel-cage type, running at from 1,400 r.p.m. to 1,500 r.p.m., and mounted on the same bed-plate, was delivered and installed together with the necessary valves and suction and delivery piping within ten working hours, and was set to work on Tuesday morning, September 12. Since that date it

**HOUSING IN
BRITAIN****20,000th Municipal
House Built**

Sir Hilton Young, Minister of Health, opening the 20,000th municipal house built in Manchester, stated that more houses were now being built in British by private enterprise, than at any previous time.

A house of the type needed for the lower paid wage-earner was being erected on an average for £231, compared with £295 when the house subsidy scheme was abolished at the end of last year.

A total of 169,000 houses were built by private enterprise in the twelve months ended in September. In the same period, 49,213 houses had been completed by local authorities.

The demand to buy houses was nearing satisfaction, and when it was satisfied, private enterprise would turn its attention increasingly to the erection of cheaper houses to be let to manual workers.

has run continuously. The suction line is approximately 22 ft. long and the delivery line 180 yards. At present, about 50 gallons of pure water per minute at 100 ft. head is being pumped to the reservoir and filter beds of the town whose inhabitants, owing to the organisation and resources of all those concerned in this emergency installation are now relieved from all fear of water shortage.—"Engineering."

**STEEL IMPROVES
IN SHEFFIELD****Influx of Orders on
Home Account**

Evidence of advance in steel, engineering, and related trades steadily accrues. In some sections progress is decidedly more marked than in others. While overtime operations are found in certain branches; slackness and a deficient demand prevail where different classes of products are dealt with. Thus it is evident that improvement is far from uniform. The most encouraging feature, however, is that it is becoming more general. Largely owing to the influx of orders on home account, and the employment of steel from Sheffield and associated areas in place of material that was imported, something like 11,000 more operatives are engaged as compared with June or July of last year. Internal organisation is shown to be thoroughly sound. There is quiet confidence in constant advance during the remainder of the year, with a possible further improvement in 1934. This, at least, is the opinion of many of the leading organisers in the staple industries. Output of bulk and special steels shows a steady rise. According to the last-published official statistics, the aggregate production of this area over a month was 15,000 tons in advance of the previous month. According to Chamber of Commerce reports, Sheffield's working day output is 1,600 tons in excess of that of the corresponding period last year. British engineers are buying raw and semi-manufactured steel much more freely. In the armaments section, prospects have improved considerably. Orders placed by British and foreign

**EFFECT OF TEMPERATURE
ON CONCRETE****How Strength Is Affected
By Changes****THE STRENGTH OF CONCRETE**

A pamphlet has been published by the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research dealing with the influence of temperature on the strength development of concrete. The subject is one of considerable practical importance both in reinforced concrete construction and in mass concrete work. In reinforced concrete work it is particularly desirable to have some idea of the extent to which the strength of the concrete is likely to be affected by external temperature conditions. Without this knowledge it is difficult to formulate rules of procedure. In mass concrete work recent observations have shown that the rise of temperature during the process of setting and hardening may have a very marked effect on the strength developed in the interior of the mass. It is only in the last few years that it has been realised that the expansion due to heat hydration of the cement, followed by contraction on subsequent cooling, has been largely responsible for the detrimental cracks that have been observed in large concrete masses. In the United States special specifications calling for the selection of cements with low evolution of heat have been enforced in the building of the great Hoover and Pine Canyon Dams.

The report gives an account of investigations carried out at the Building Research Station during the past few years into the effects of both external and internal temperature upon the strength development of concrete prepared with modern types of cement. These experiments are believed to form the most complete examination of the subject yet made. The report includes an account of an ingenious electrical method in which the heat developed in a small test specimen of a concrete setting in a vacuum flask is used to cause a beam of light to fall on a series of photoelectric cells. Through a radio valve amplifier these operate electric heaters in water surrounding the vacuum flask in such a way that the test piece is exposed to the same conditions as it would experience if it was at the centre of a large mass of similar concrete. The apparatus also enables a number of other small test pieces immersed in water to be put through the same series of temperature changes as the original specimen. In this way the strength development of the concrete in the middle of the mass may be followed by measurements on the small test specimen.

EFFECTS OF COLD

The results of the study show that in small members of Portland cement concrete it is desirable

to conserve the heat evolved during the process of hydration in order to accelerate the development of strength. In mass concrete work where high internal temperature may subsequently result in extensive contraction tending to the formation of cracks the results would seem to confirm the desirability of using Portland cements which have a slow rate of evolution of heat. When high alumina cement is used every effort must be made to dissipate the heat evolved as quickly as possible.

The effects of external temperature on strength development are very marked with normal or rapid-hardening Portland cement concrete, especially in the early stages of maturing. Hardening is much delayed by cold, and it is important not only to guard against frosts, but also (to take advantage of the rapid-hardening properties of the cement) to protect the placed concrete if the thermometer is falling below 50 degrees F. The effects of temperature upon the strength are not so marked at later stages, and there is no very significant difference in the strength of Portland cement concrete after 28 days when cured within the yearly range of temperatures likely to be encountered on the job. But with high alumina cement a considerable falling off in strength was found in the laboratory tests when the concrete matured at temperatures above 68 degrees F. Observations from tests extending over a period of years on high alumina cement concrete have shown that if proper precautions are taken to keep the concrete cool during its early history good results are obtained. The very high early strength which is the particular feature of this type of cement is not impaired.

Cases sometimes arise in using rapid hardening Portland cements in which very early strength, is a matter of hours, must be assured, as, for example, in marine work in placing between successive tides, or when the time available for the use of forms and shuttering is limited. Much can be done to accelerate the strength development, especially in cold weather, by conserving the heat generated by the cement after placing, by providing adequate heat insulation round the concrete or by heating the materials and appliances when mixing and placing. But it is inadvisable to preheat the materials when using high alumina cement.

In hot climates or in the hold of a ship cement may be at a fairly high temperature; on the other hand a hard winter or a cold climate may subject it to very low temperature.

**THE USE OF WOOD FOR STEAM
BOILERS****Modern Scientific Methods**

A large amount of wood, and particularly refuse material such as sawdust, shavings, bark, and small pieces, is being used throughout the world as fuel for steam generation, especially for small boilers, but as a rule only poor thermal efficiency is being obtained. Sawdust, for example, is not an easy fuel to burn, and in this connection also the carbonisation of sawdust as a commercial proposition for the production of acetone, wood alcohol, acetic acid, and other products remains an unsolved problem in spite of all the efforts of inventors for nearly half a century.

Generally newly felled wood, taking an average through most common woods, such as oak, beech, poplar, elm, chestnut, hickory, birch, and willow, has 30-50% moisture. After 8-12 months' air drying or "seasoning" the moisture content is reduced to 20-25%; the heating value being 5000-6000 British Thermal Units of Heat per lb. Perfectly dry wood also averages 49.3-50.3% hydrogen, 39.5-42.5% oxygen, 0.9-1.3% nitrogen, and 0.75-3.25% ash (this latter being variable and about 2-2½ lbs. of seasoned wood is equal to 1 lb. of average coal. The pines (conifers) how-

ever, and certain other wood contain resins and similar products which increase the heating value.

Obviously one of the main difficulties of the use of wood as a fuel for steam generation is the moisture content, and some form of forced, as distinct from natural draught, is essential to obtain an adequate rate of combustion.

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governments ensure consistent activity for some time to come. There is also the likelihood of further contracts from several smaller foreign powers lacking big shipyards or large scale steelworks. British railway orders are still meagre. The big companies have developed manufacture within their own works, but the main cause of the slump in this section is the striking contraction in the export demand for carriages and wagons. Markets that were taking large supplies of railway steel from Sheffield have ordered very little for a considerable period. Good business is being done in boiler drums, big piston rings, automobile steel, and stainless steel. The last-named is being put to numerous new uses in the medium and heavy engineering branches. There are prospects of substantial development in this connection on shipbuilding account. Better conditions are reported from the lighter trades. Sales of tools overseas show a marked rise.—"Engineering."

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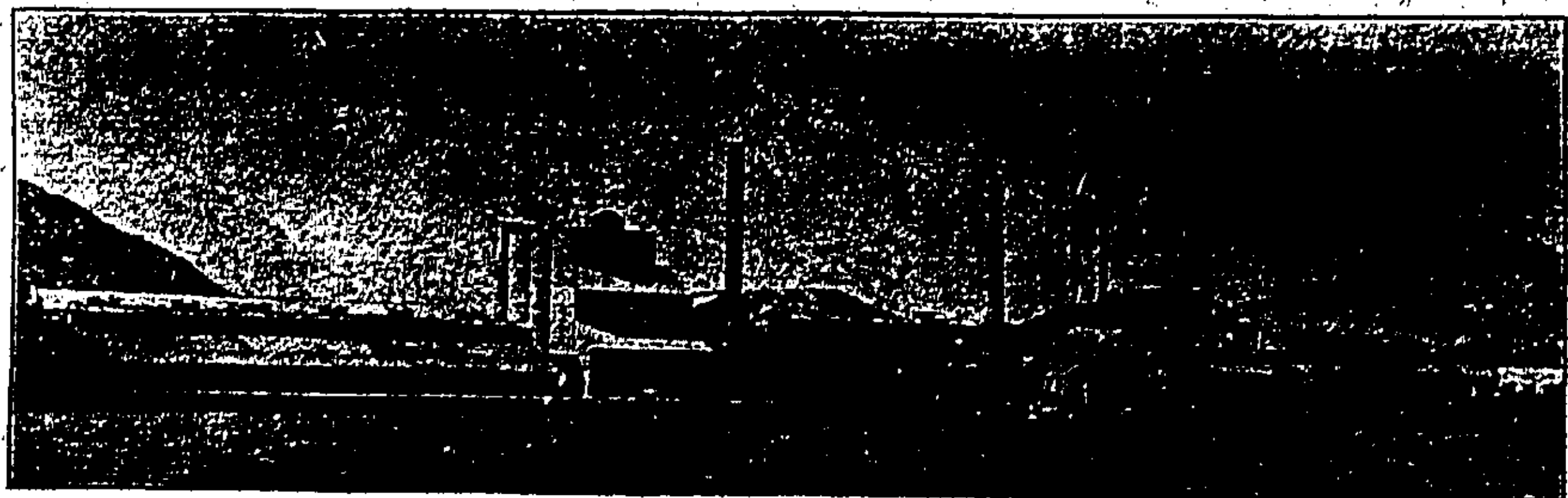
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"through all this fleshly drag
HENRY VAUGHAN.
Bright shoots of everlastingness
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appearances, there is no escape
from the conclusion that man is
consciousness rather than corporeality, abiding in the realm
Spirit not matter. Since God is
Mind and Spirit man must
be mental and spiritual. You are
convinced of this the moment you
close your eyes to outward physical
phenomena, and, through introspec-
tion, observe mental and spiri-
tual processes in operation. Fearful
and wonderfully is man made, not
as matter, not of atoms and cells,
but of thoughts and ideas."

ponderable, he is impalpable material sense, that is, unreach-
able by any blow or destructive
agency. Hints of imponderability
and impalpability abound in the
material world. The sunshine is
impalpable. One cannot seize a
handful of it. It is elusive; elusive.
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of spiritual things, used the word
as an illustration. He said, "The
wind bloweth where it listeth,
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WEEK-END RADIO PROGRAMMES

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TO-DAY.
1-2.15 p.m.—European programme.
1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather
Report.
1.3 p.m.—Recorded music.
1.15 p.m.—A relay of the Hong
Kong Hotel Orchestra from the
Hong Kong Hotel grill room.
2.15 p.m.—Close down.
Running Commentary on To-night's
Boxing.
Dance Music by Orchestra of H.M.S.
Suffolk from the Studio.
4-7.30 p.m.—Chinese programme.
7.30-8 p.m.—

Operatic.
Band—Aida—Introduction and
Morrish Ballet. (Verdi).
Band—Aida—Grand March and
Finale (Verdi)—Crestore's Band.
Vocal Duet—Madame Butterfly—
Butterfly is alone with the
faithful Suzuki (Puccini).
Vocal Duet—Madame Butterfly—
Butterfly Foretells Pinkerton's
Return One Fine Day (Puccini).
Rosina Backman and Nellie
Walker.
Band—Tannhauser—March
(Wagner)—Band of H.M. Cold-
stream Guards.
Song—Aida—Celeste Aida (Verdi).
Song—Forea del Destino—Thou
Heavenly One (Verdi)—Enrico
Caruso (Tenor).
8 p.m.—Local time and weather
report.
8.3-9 p.m.—

From the Studio.
The "Maintainers" Dance Or-
chestra of H.M.S. Suffolk by
courtesy of the Captain and
Officers.
Programme.
1.—Fox Trot—Sing Brothers.
Sweep.
2.—Fox Trot—Where is this
Lady?
Tell Me To-night.
3.—Fox Trot—Ah! But is it Love?
Weep no more my Baby.
Interval.
4.—Fox Trot—Hold Me.
Dinner at Eight.
5.—Waltz—In the Valley of the
Moon.
Hold Your Man.
6.—Fox Trot—Down in the
Valley.
I'll Show You Off.

9 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong
Hotel Dance Orchestra from
the Hong Kong Hotel Grill
Room.
10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press
news.
10.45 p.m. (approx.)—A Running
Commentary on the chief
events of the Boxing Tourna-
ment to be held in the Lee
Theatre by courtesy of the
Hong Kong Boxing Association.
Should reception prove satisfac-
tory, the programme between 5
and 6 p.m. will be substituted by a re-
lay from Daventry.

All relays from the Hong Kong
Hotel are by courtesy of the Man-
agement and during the intervals
recorded music will be broadcast
from the Studio.

SUNDAY.
10-11 a.m.—Relay of St. Joseph's
Church Morning Service.
11-12.15 a.m.—Relay of St. Paul's
Church Morning Service.
1 p.m.—Local time and weather re-
port.
12.15-2.30 p.m.—European recorded
programme.
4.30-7.30 p.m.—Chinese recorded
programme.
7.30-10 p.m.—European programme.
8 p.m.—Local time and weather re-
port, etc.
7.30-9 p.m.—

Programme of Library Records.
Orchestra—Bolero (Ravel)—Wm.
Mengeberg and his Concert
Orchestra.
Piano Solos—(a) Etude in D Flat
(Liszt). (b) In The Night
Schumann)—Harold Bauer.
Songs—(a) Les Deux Serenades
(Lecavallo). (b) Si Vous
Avez Compris (Denza)—En-
rico Caruso.
Violin Solos—(a) Caprice Vien-
nois (Kreisler). (b) Humores-
que (Dvorak-Kreisler)—Fritz
Kreisler.
Symphonique Suite "Schehere-
rade" (Rimsky-Korsakow) Leo-
pold Stokowski and the Phil-
adelphia Symphony Orchestra.
9-10 p.m.—

From the Studio.
Professor N. A. Tonoff and his
"Rose Room Tango Band"
vocal and accordion solos by S.
T. Foronda.
1.—Adios Eucharhos—Tango.
2.—A Waltz of Long Ago.
3.—Ta Vola—Tango.
4.—The Gay Jo's Waltz.
5.—Clavel del aire Tango.
6.—Collette Waltz.
7.—Amor Criele Tango.
Interval.
8.—Bagdad Suite by M. King.
(a) The Royal Guard.
(b) The Garden Beautiful.
(c) Hall-Hall, C. Calph the
Great.
9 p.m. Sally Selections by Jerome
Kern.
10 p.m.—Close down.
Should reception prove satisfac-
tory, the programme from 5-8 p.m.
may be replaced by a relay from
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FRIDAY, DEC. 11, 1933
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FRIENDSHIP WITH CHINA

Peers Seek Statement
Of Government's
Policy

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, Nov. 15.
Earl Peel said he would like to ask
the Government whether in the
stress of the many problems which
had been before them recently they
had been able to give attention to
the reshaping of our attitude to-
wards China in the new conditions
which prevailed.

The circumstances, and the time
were extraordinarily favourable
for a fresh definition of policy to-
wards China.
Lord Melchett said that the com-
plexities and difficulties of trading
with China were considerable, but
could be overcome.
This matter was of the greatest
importance to us, and they would
be very glad to hear from the Gov-
ernment what its policy was.

TO SHARE IN REVOLUTION
Earl Stanhope said the aim of
the Government was to maintain
cordial relations with the Govern-
ment of China.
It might, he said, amuse the
House to hear that he nearly took
part in a revolution in China.
When Sun Yat Sen was in London
he invited him to go with him and
take part in the movement he then
led.
The essential problem of further
progress, he added, was one which
only the Chinese people could
solve.
Interference in Chinese domestic
affairs would prove useless in the
long run.

**ROYAL DUTCH
SHELL**
Recent hopes that the Royal
Dutch and Shell companies would
declare a small interim distribu-
tion out of their ample cash
resources were dispelled last night
by the notification that no in-
terim dividends would be paid.
Dealers in the "street" market in
oil shares had dispersed prior to
the announcement, but apprehen-
sions of an unfavourable
statement depressed share quotations.
At the "Shell" meeting last
June the chairman described the
oil position as "profoundly un-
satisfactory," but much has hap-
pened since then. The state of
the industry in America has been
transformed by the enforced
stabilisation measures, and the
recent advance in petrol prices in
this country was an outward and
visible sign of recovery.
The prospects favour a further
improvement, since effective con-
trol of U.S. oil should be a strong
inducement to Roumania to
enter into a new international
agreement. In the circumstances
it would not have been surprising
if the directors of Royal Dutch
and Shell had allowed their in-
terim decision to be coloured by
the more rosy conditions now
prevailing. However, the share-
holders may find some solace to
their disappointment in compli-
menting cheerful estimates of the
final dividend.

**SIR GRAEME THOMSON'S
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London, Nov. 15.
Sir Graeme Thomson, G.C.M.G.,
K.C.B., of Ashley Gardens, Gov-
ernor of Ceylon since 1931, who
died at Aden on September 29 aged
58, left estate of the gross value of
£36,991, with net personalty
£25,813.

**CHINESE MARSHAL AT
CHEQUERS**
London, Nov. 15.
Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang, the
Chinese Marshal, who is in Lon-
don, and his wife, yesterday had
luncheon at Chequers.
It was a purely personal visit
arising out of a meeting with Mr.
Malcolm MacDonald had with the
Marshal during his visit to Man-
churia, of which the Marshal was
formerly Governor.

A LENGTHY DISCUSSION
Batavia, Dec. 7.
The Supreme Council with the
Governor General presiding, dis-
cussed for three hours the sug-
gested quota system for the cur-
tailment of rubber cultivation in
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OF VIEW FROM MONDAY,
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TERMS—CASH ON DELIVERY.

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Mandy, Germaine de Neel, Phil Teed,
Frank Atkinson, Eddie Dillon and
Matt McHugh."Sailor's Luck" probably leans
more to comedy than any previous
team picture of the well-known screen
pair. The story concerns a bunch of
"goos" on shore-leave and their
romantic adventures while "dame-
chasing".Comedy, for the most part, is sup-
plied by Sammy Cohen, Will Stanton,
the tipsy gent in "Me and My Gal",
and Frank Moran, former heavy-
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now at the King's Theatre, de-
clares those days have gone fore-
ver.Theatrical experience had be-
come a necessity, he observes, and
then proceeds to confess that Janet
Gaynor and Norma Shearer are
exceptions to this statement."Both possess a natural gift for
acting," declares Morgan. "And
there are a certain gifted few
whose instinct for acting will
offset long training in the thea-
tre."He pointed to Janet Gaynor's
portrayals "Seventh Heaven" and
"State Fair" as indicative of her
instinctive flair for the theatre.He bestowed a similar accolade
on Norma Shearer for her per-
formance in "Strange Interlude."
"In that picture she followed such
really great actresses as Lynn
Fontanne and Pauline Lord," said
Morgan. "She brought qualities to
the role, though lacking their ex-
perience, that rank her perform-
ance with theirs.""THE GREAT
DECISION"Showing For Last
Time To-dayShe's tiny—five feet one and looks
only four feet ten. Blonde but not
platinum. Was a stenographer at the
RKO-Radio Studio until two months
ago. Typed the script for her first
picture, "The Age of Consent." Was
selected to play a bit and her test was
so good she was given the lead.Born in Minneapolis, she worked at
the studio as a stenographer two years
before being noticed as a screen possi-
bility. She doesn't drink, likes to
read, dislikes personal appearances,
doesn't like sweets, is single, wants to
play a role in which she can wear
gorgeous clothes, and she likes the beach...
driving...tennis...dogs.Never uses powder except for screen
make-ups, nor rouge, nor cold cream.
Always has a tan, doesn't freckle, is
slly, very quiet, has not "gone Holly-
wood" with her sudden fame, lives
with a stenographer friend whom she
used to work, wants to find time
enough away from work to visit her
home and parents in Minneapolis and
is now to be seen for the last time to-
night at the Central Theatre in her
second picture, "The Great Decision"
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"MASQUERADER"

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of the most successful melodramas
the world has ever seen was made
out of the strange human story
of two men who so closely resem-
bled each other that neither wife
nor mistress could be sure.Elissa Landi, who brought so
much warmth and vitality to "The
Sign of the Cross," and Juliette
Compton have the feminine leads
with Colman's dual roles. David
Torrence, Halliwell Hobbes,
Creighton Hale and Helen Jerome
Eddy are in the cast.Samuel Goldwyn has given his
production of the English melo-
drama a bright modern setting.
The background for its human
drama is the labour up-risings
and the political crisis that are
the headlines of London today.
Howard Estabrook adapted the
play to the screen; it is based on
John Hunter Booth's dramatiza-
tion of the novel by Katherine
Cecil Thurston.In his direction of "The Mas-
querader," Richard Wallace has
made it a successor to his impres-
sive roster that includes such no-
table megaphone achievements as
"Seven Days' Leave," "Tomorrow
and Tomorrow," "Shopworn An-
gel" and "The Right to Love.""The Masquerader" is the second
and last Colman screen play of
the year.It is likely to be the last for
some time since Colman has gone
on a long holiday sailing the
Aegean Sea and roaming the
distant places of the earth.FILMS FOR
SCHOOLSImportant Program
ProjectedAn important film company is
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elementary stages to the stand-
ards of universities. A special
studio is to be built; the scienti-
fic nature of many of the films
demands facilities for laboratory
work not often to be found in
studios.There are 88,000 scholastic in-
stitutions in the country, and it
is estimated that if only 74 per
cent of these install apparatus
there will be more equipped schools
than there are cinemas. The ap-
paratus need not be full size;
after the films have been made
on ordinary stock they will be re-
duced to sixteen-millimetre width,
as used in home projectors.The reason why films have not
hitherto played a great part in
education is that there have not
been enough good educational
pictures to make it worth while
to install the apparatus. With
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his motive is revenge. He learns
however that the girl is really his
own daughter. The climax is
reached when Gregg gets killed and
she is rescued by Flint who claims
her as his own.

DRIFTWOOD

By The Beachcomber

Sometimes the news the beachcom-
ber picks up can bring a smile to a
few readers, but today there will be
many who will learn with regret of
the unfortunate disappearance of
Lieut. Hall of the Flagship, Isabel
of the American Navy. Lieut. Hall
was in the Colony a week or so ago
and left only when the ship was
ordered to Manila. One day
out from Hongkong, he was re-
ported missing and a search
was made on board, only to find
he had disappeared and that there
was no trace of him. Nothing de-
finite is known as yet but it is sur-
mised that he fell into the sea and
was drowned. The Isabel had Admiral
Upham, Commander of the U. S.
Asiatic Fleet on board at the time.The President Jackson which ar-
rived in the Colony yesterday morn-
ing brought a number of wives of
United States Naval officers, to their
husbands who are at present
stationed here. Among those who
disembarked this morning were Mrs.
Ethel Stubb and daughter, Mrs. Anna
Zaun, Mrs. Jane M. Wells and her two
daughters, Martha and Anne, Mrs.
Gladys E. Fenner accompanied by her
sons, Richard, L. and Robert, E.
Fenner, Mrs. Myrtle Lee Warren, and
Mrs. Dee Crichton.Mr. Sidney Gerber, prominent
Seattle business man who has been in
the East for some months on business
returned to Shanghai last night and
will soon be leaving for the United
States.
He expects to return again sometime
in March.

JAPANESE MUSSOLINI

London, Nov. 15.
General Araki, who is being men-
tioned as the probable head of a
militarist Government in Japan, is
the leader of the Japanese Imperi-
alists. He was largely responsible
for the recent annexation of Man-
churia.He is a clever orator and pub-
licist and believes in a Fascist sys-
tem of government.
His photograph in uniform ap-
pears on almost every hoarding in
Tokio. The key to his favour is to
describe him as the Japanese Mus-
solini.LEAGUE REFORM
PROPOSALDr. Benes To Visit
ParisParis, To-day.
The Foreign Minister of Czecho-
Slovakia, Dr. Edward Benes, has
accepted the official invitation to
visit Paris on December 14.
Following the visit of Dr. Benes,
the French Foreign Minister, Paul
Boncour will visit Warsaw and
Prague.
Hence it is assumed that a com-
mon policy will be discussed to-
wards the Italian proposal for re-
form of the League of Nations.—
Reuter.

COUNTERFEIT MONEY

Large Haul In Chicago

Chicago, Dec. 7.
Half a million dollars in coun-
terfeit money, and a complete
counterfeiting plant, were seized
in a raid on a cottage here after
the arrest of two men, one alleged
to be a henchman of Al Capone,
who were found carrying \$30,000
in counterfeit notes.—Reuter.

ANGLO-RUSSIAN TRADE

London, Dec. 7.
In the House of Commons, the
President of the Board of Trade,
Mr. Runciman, said the negotia-
tions for a new trade agreement
with the U.S.S.R. were still pro-
ceeding, and progress had been
made.—British Wireless.PRISONERS FREED IN
BAVARIALondon, Dec. 7.
Five hundred good conduct pris-
oners will be released from con-
centration camps in Bavaria, "in
view of the overwhelming Nazi
victory in the elections and the
approach of Christmas."—Reuter.U.S. LEAVES FOREIGN
GOLD ALONEWashington, Dec. 7.
Foreign purchases of gold under
the Presidential monetary pro-
gramme have been hardly enough
"to make good bridegroom for a
set of false teeth," declared Mr.
Jesse Jones, President of the Re-
construction Finance Corporation to-
day.The purchase of newly-mined
domestic gold had, he added, pro-
ceeded on a fairly substantial
scale. The R.F.C. had purchased
a total of 354,000 ounces, valued
at \$11,350,000.—Reuter.

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The sterling on New York was
quoted 5.11 1/2 and in Paris at 83 1/2.
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and Kaffirs are quiet but steady.
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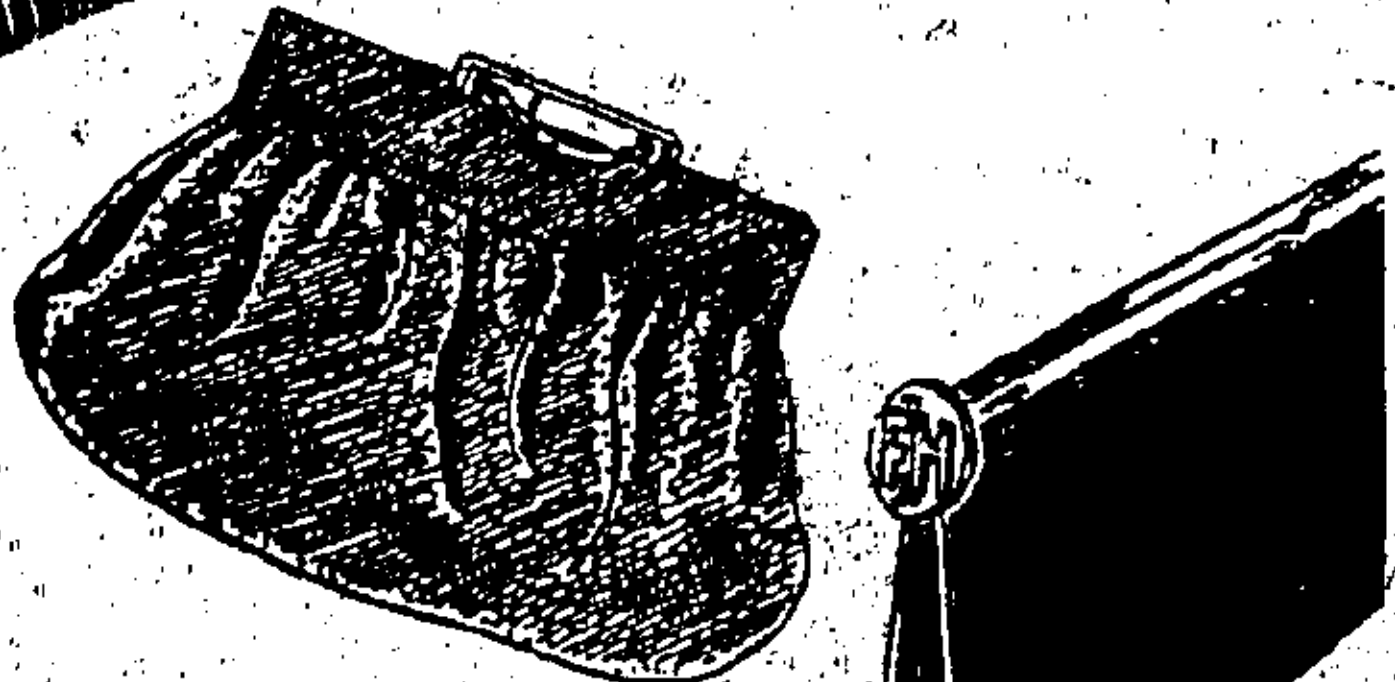
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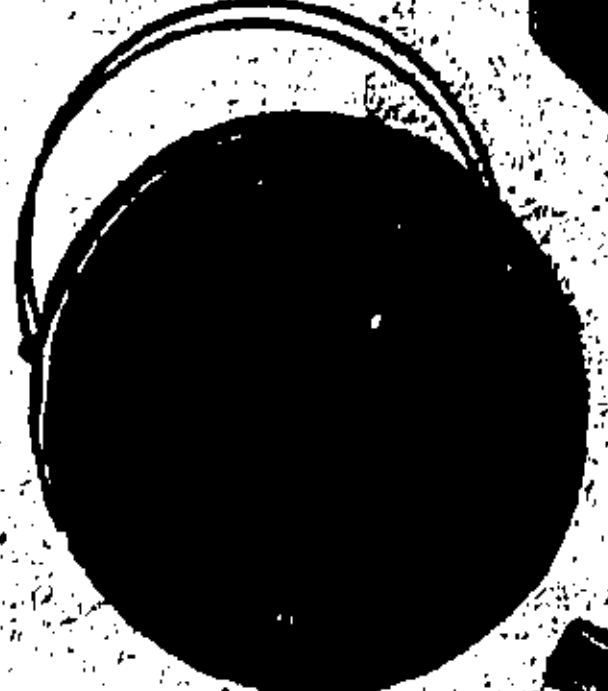
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By "The Scout"

ROPE COMPANY'S AFFAIRS

The period of Company meetings in Hongkong may be said to have been ushered in by the extraordinary general meeting of the Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company during the week. Opportunity was sought, during the change of the articles of association, to increase the Directors' fees from \$1,000 to \$2,000 per annum, and it was noticed that a large number of shareholders attended the meeting to oppose this move. The Chairman as well as the directors of the Company gave their reasons for desiring this change, but it fell on deaf ears, since the meeting appeared bent on defeating the proposed increase. Those who have read the report of the proceedings in the papers, as I have done, could not help feeling that no reason was given by shareholders for disallowing the increase, beyond the fact that the meeting was not the annual meeting of the Company and that there were no figures before shareholders. Writing, entirely from memory, I think Directors' fees, in the past have been increased during extraordinary meetings so that the question of precedent does not arise, and it will therefore be interesting to see whether, if the question were to be brought up again at the Annual Meeting, it will meet with any organised opposition.

TEACHING ENGLISH

A very interesting discussion followed the excellent paper read at the meeting of the English Association during the week by Miss H. D. Sawyer. Many points of view were brought up with regard to the difficulty encountered in the work of teaching English to Chinese boys and girls. To the writer's mind, the greatest difficulty is to teach these students, when writing or speaking English, to have in mind the English point of view. Frequently a Chinese writer or speaker will use English phrases which are mere translations from the Chinese and which are perfectly meaningless to anyone except those who understand the Chinese language. Business men will tell you that practically every day letters are received from Chinese firms, which, while meaningless to the Europeans on the staff, are clear as daylight to the Chinese clerk, merely because the latter is able to turn the English words back into Chinese, when the meaning will at once become clear.

NOTED RESIDENT BACK

Among recent residents of note who returned from Home leave is Mr. Felix A. Joseph whose reappearance in Hongkong will be welcomed by his friends and the business community. Mr. Joseph is on the Board of several important companies in Hongkong including the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co. Ltd. and the China Light and Power Company. Mr. Joseph is considered to be a big factor in the local Rialto and we hope that his advent to the Colony will impart strength and vigour into the market, which has been so wanting during the earlier months of the year.

THAT OFFICIAL RESIDENCE

As the question of an official residence in Kowloon is now very much before the public, readers will recall that votes were taken in the finance committee of the Legislative Council, some time ago, for such a building. Even the site has been selected and it is just a question of time when the P. W. D. will feel inclined to proceed with the work, or more correctly, when the Treasury will be prepared to loosen the purse strings of the Government to enable the financial vote to be implemented for the building of the Kowloon Magistracy. The site in question is one in King's Park. It fronts on Gascoigne Road and is to the North of the space leading to "Saltash", the residence of the Chief Manager of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co. Ltd. To my mind, no better site could have been selected for a Magistracy. Included in the building will be the usual Magisterial Court, contingent offices, and also quarters for the Magistrate's staff.

ORME'S BUNGALOW

Of the earliest residence of officials in the New Territories may be mentioned Orme's Bungalow on the Castle Peak Road. It will be remembered that when Mr. N. J. Orme was in Hongkong (he was at one time the District Officer, North) his residence was then in

Island House, Tai Po. Mr. Orme subsequently became Director of Education and bought a piece of land on Tai Po Road where he built the house that was a distinct landmark by its entirely white appearance, standing on the summit of the hill against a background of green vegetation. Mr. Orme continued to occupy this bungalow until his retirement from the Civil Service. He was a victim for a long time of malignant malaria contracted in the district of Castle Peak, which enjoys a notoriety for malaria of a very malignant form.

MORE N. T. RESIDENCES

Another official of the Government whose residence is also in the New Territories is Mr. R. E. Baker, the retiring Chief Manager of the Kowloon-Canton Railway. Mr. Baker's house is on the road to Tai Po over White Cottage, the latter being formerly the property of Mrs. Rowe, on whose death the bungalow continues to be occupied by her daughter Mrs. Clark. Incidentally it is well-known that the little garden of the White Cottage produces Strawberry of a very excellent strain and luscious vegetables which find a select number of patrons when offered for sale at the Dairy Farm and Lane Crawford's stores. A third bungalow is that of Mr. G. P. de Martin, who until his retirement had been connected with the Education Department and was until the appointment of Mr. N. L. Smith, the Director of Education in Hongkong, Mr. de Martin. I am informed, has elected to make Hongkong the home of his adoption. His bungalow is in a very prominent position on the promontory jutting out of the land at Tai Po, and is distinctively painted red. Curiously enough, Mr. N. L. Smith, the present Director of Education, also has his residence in Tai Po, situated beyond the Tai Po bay. I do not know the exact name of the spot, but it is a well-known fact that Mr. Smith has to cross the bay on a moor boat every evening on his return home. The Hon. Mr. A. E. Wood, who a former Director of Education, also had his residence in the New Territories.

LOCAL CLOCK FACTORY

I was pleasantly surprised the other day when I visited the Nam Jam Flashlight Factory at Samshui to see the addition of an entirely new industry in Kowloon. A new department in this factory is wholly set apart for the designing and making of clocks. It is interesting to know that every part of the clock is actually built within the works itself. The building is admirably suited for the purpose, being designed and constructed according to all modern principles and is amply ventilated for the workpeople which it engages. Unfortunately as a result of the high tariff enforced in Canton and the neighbouring countries, the torchlight industry is suffering a setback. This hardship has also been felt in countries within the Empire that discriminate Chinese labour as not being a component part of British labour to qualify for admission as Hongkong products into Great Britain and the Dominions under the Preferential Tariffs resulting from the Ottawa Conference.

THE TARIFF MUDDLE

The Customs Tariff against Hongkong set up by the Chinese authorities has resulted in a delegation of Chinese manufacturers recently proceeding on a friendly mission to Canton, to persuade the Canton Custom authorities to take a more liberal of goods manufactured in Hongkong. The hardship of the Hongkong Chinese is a real one when the following facts are presented to readers:—Hongkong products can only be admitted to Canton and the neighbouring provinces as a foreign product, i.e., products of British Manufacture not enjoying the "All-China Tariff" which products of factories situated within Chinese Territory enjoy upon admission into any part of China. The same products from Hongkong when consigned to ports within the British Dominions are considered Chinese products, hence Hongkong products, to use a colloquialism, "gets it in the neck" both ways. They are Chinese to British importers, and "foreign" to Chinese importers. This is obviously one of those isolated cases arising from the protective tariffs.

CHARITY CONCERT

There is one local institution that never seems to tire of their work on behalf of the poor of

KIENSI NOTES

Surplus For Famine Relief

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Kienshi, Nov. 14.
Autumn is coming on very placidly. We have had one nice white frost with one of the rare sunny days during the two months of rain. I hope the coming of cooler weather will help put an end to the epidemic of Dysentery which has prevailed for about 3 months. I have never known this disease to be so prevalent. It has taken a heavy toll of life. It makes you wonder what has been the cause of it. There has been no noticeable difference in conditions, except the widespread shortage of food. Typhus is of course expected to be the sequel of famine, but I have not noticed any unusual prevalence of this. I wonder whether Dysentery has been ubiquitous this year.

Not long ago I saw for the first time a case of Hydrophobia. A young boy was brought to us who had been bitten some 40 days previously and the wound had entirely healed long ago. The spasm he had when I attempted to give him a dose of medicine dissolved in water left no room to doubt what was wrong.

I was much surprised when I attended the usual feast at the closing up of the activities of the Famine Relief Committee to find that there is a surplus in hand of over \$2000. They propose to invest this in land so as to have a regular income for relief work. I would like to see something done for the poor strays who during the winter have to struggle through the best they can, clinging to street fireplaces during the cold nights. It is a heart-rending sight to see the terrible burns they get by falling asleep and rolling down on to the banked-in fire. We usually try to help out a bit, but we are unable to cope with the acute suffering. Be sure we do not feel too complacent in our good warm beds, knowing that so many are in misery.

FORGED DELIVERY ORDER

Mechanic And Coolie Gaoled

A mechanic formerly employed by the Wing On Company, together with an old job coolie appeared before Mr. Balfour yesterday, charged with obtaining a set of stock dyes and screw taps by means of a forged document and unlawful receiving of stolen property. Det. Sergt. Fowle said the first defendant went to the Ming Fat Company on November 29, produced a check and obtained the box of tools. They did not question him, as he had often taken delivery of goods for the Wing On firm. In this case the signature was found to be forged. Defendant was brought to Central Police Station by some of the employees and the second defendant was located in Mongkok. The tools were recovered by the second accused. They were valued at \$70.
A fine of \$75 or six weeks' hard labour each was inflicted.

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Hongkong. I refer to the Y's Men's Club, whose splendid efforts has recently resulted in the coming into operation of the Street Sleepers' Shelter. They are also conducting classes for the poor, and their latest effort is to stage a charity ball in aid of the Health Education Campaign, which they are conducting. The ball is arranged for December 18, and tickets at \$3 each are now available through members of the Y's men. The promoters include several well-known medical practitioners including Drs. Arthur Woo, C. C. Ip, F. I. Tsung, and T. H. Tai.

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SWATOW NOTES

New Chief Of Police
Takes Office

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Swatow, December 3.
For over a year we have not heard of any changes in the Police Administration, but on December 1, Mr. Liu was relieved of his post as the Chief of the Public Safety Bureau and Mr. Ho Chi Wai was sworn in as his successor.

On that day the gate entrance was decorated with flags and flowers. The ceremony took place in the forenoon and was attended by many other high officials. The subordinates were duly introduced to him.

The following information was gathered concerning the new Police Commissioner's past career.

A young man of 37 Mr. Ho was born in Kwangtung and graduated from one of the Peiping Universities. While he is supposed to have been at one time Director of the Canton Aerodrome, his last appointment appears to have been that of Salt Commissioner at Ping Nam. It is also said he has previously occupied a few other important positions elsewhere.

In accordance with Chinese custom, he has brought with him his immediate underlings consisting of Leung Kai Pak, as chief of the Detective Force; Liu Kai Keung was Senior officer of the Peace Preservation Corps and Chan Ho Yuen as Chief Secretary. According to reports he is still contemplating the engagement of additional junior staff for his office.

I hear he has a good command of the English language, but I understand for his Private Secretary he is engaging a French Scholar.

The ex-Chief of Police has returned to Canton to resume his former command in the 3rd Army. I am informed.

Business Failures

The "San Pao" has been severely criticised the government for prohibiting the publication of any business bankruptcies. While upholding its right the vernacular paper said the printing of such facts would jeopardize the collection of tax-revenue as feared by the government.

ENGLISH HELP FOR
CHINA

The Site Of The Legation

Special Air-Mail Service

London, Nov. 15.
Mr. Hewlett Johnson writing to the "Times" said:—

Sir,—Doubtless many persons more important than myself will welcome Sir John Wardlaw Milne's letter on the Far East. I at least can welcome it from personal experience. For a journey last year of some 6,000 miles through the central, northern, and eastern provinces of China, even to Tibet and Mongolia, studying flood and drought conditions, gave me many opportunities of observing the varied operations of the Chinese Government and of estimating her chances of emerging successfully from the present chaos. I returned home convinced that these chances were great; but no less convinced that our own opportunity was great; and nothing that has happened since then lessens those convictions.

The Chinese are a proud race. Not readily will they acknowledge their ignorance or inefficiency. But they are eager to learn, and will prove apt pupils if approached in a proper spirit. England can teach them many things they need to know, and with right cooperation Chinese and English can achieve much. We all saw it in the case of the postal service and the Maritime Customs. Sir Robert Hart in the past and Sir Frederick Maze in the present—his fascinating story "The Coastwise Lights of China" has just reached me—have created and presided over administrations of which any nation might be proud, but such achievement was rendered possible by the quality of their Chinese colleagues; even the humblest worker revealing when occasion demands it heroism and fidelity of the highest order: postmen and lighthouse keepers recently have faced dangers of flood, chaos, or banditry with epic courage.

Not was it different when Sir John Hope Simpson, side by side with General Chu Chin Lan and his other Chinese colleagues, carried out, on slender resources—Chinese resources, too, in the main—the largest relief work

CHAMPIONS AND
"ALSO RANS"Entries and Weights
for Dec. 16

The following are the entries (together with handicaps) for the last extra meeting of the season. The Champions in the three classes, subs, Australians, and China ponies, are post entries:—

December Handicap (One Mile).	
Gold Key	148
Hotman	153
Mon Tailsman	140
Powerful King	140
The Gadwall	140
The Loafer	140
Valley Hall	140
Wildnes	140
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Changte	155
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Evening Star	150
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Kilrea	138
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Tecumseh	127
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Daylight Eve	180
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Gold Key	152
Mon Tailsman	153
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Aida	161
Ajax	164
Festival Eve	159
Flying Boy	163
Glen Shee	159
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Marla Petra	163
Powerful King	167
Sticky Past	161
The Gadwall	162
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White Butterfly	160
Wildnes	165
Final Plate (One Mile).	
Bagule	147
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Flying Boy	155
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Philiter	143
Ta Peattie	146
The Goat	161
White Butterfly	156

AGRICULTURE AS
A VOCATIONFirst Of A Series Of
Talks

On Monday night at 8 o'clock at the Chinese Y.M.C.A., the first of a series of Vocational Guidance Talks will be given by Mr. Fung Ki Cheuk. Mr. J. D. Bush will be chairman for the opening night. Mr. Fung will speak on Agriculture As a Vocation.

It is appropriate that agriculture should be the topic for the opening talk of the series of vocational lectures. China is fundamentally an agricultural country. Yet, in spite of the fact that agriculture is her main basic industry, and in spite of the fact that tillers of the soil were held in high esteem in the Classics, agriculture in China to-day is one of her most backward industries. Moreover, farmers have not in recent years received the standing and encouragement that they should.

On account of her antiquated agricultural methods, she has to resort to importation of agricultural products because her output has not been able to meet the demands of the people. Therein lies a field for improvement, a chance for a worth-while life-work, and a standing challenge for students or future students of scientific agriculture to apply their knowledge and training.

It is the hope and aim of these talks to present to young people possibilities of different vocations in China and how to prepare for them, which must be through perseverance, firm convictions in a chosen vocation, and intelligent application of industry.

INSPECTION OF
MOTOR LORRIESPolice Summons
Prove Bad

Before Mr. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, Mrs. E. M. Barrett, representing Hongkong Brewery Limited was summoned for (1) allowing an unlicensed driver to drive motor lorry No. 4183, of which she was the licensee, in Nathan Road on November 17, and (2) failing to allow her vehicle to be inspected by the Police once a month.

Pleading guilty on the first summons, Mrs. Barrett said the driver had been employed for only 23 days. She understood that he had a licence, and did not know that he had not renewed it. Cautioned.

On the second summons, Mr. Wynne Jones told Traffic Sergeant Scrim that the summons was bad. It was not for Mrs. Barrett to take a lorry up to the Police Station once a month for inspection but for the Police to ask her to do so. If the Police wanted to inspect the vehicle at a certain time and place, Mrs. Barrett must comply if the demand was reasonable, but the Police must tell her. This summons was dismissed.

KOWLOON MUSIC CLUB

Empire Link, International

Under the direction of Madame Lottie Gordon (the Australian Pianiste, Composer) the Kowloon Music Club will hold its opening afternoon concert on Tuesday next, December 19, 1933, at the "Airle" Music Room, Airle Hotel, 1st floor, from 5.30 to 7 p.m.

Madame Gordon will play some of her Australian and Chinese compositions and monologues, and will be specially assisted by Carl Henriksen (Tenor), Miss Elvie Yuen (Soprano) and Miss Jacqueline Fernandez (Soprano).

Admission will be \$1. (One Dollar) in aid of Club Funds.

HONG KONG RIFLE CLUB

Monthly Shoot

The December Monthly Shoot will take place on the Club Range on Saturday and Sunday, 16th and 17th December, 1933, at 2.30 p.m. and 9.30 a.m. respectively. Ranges: 500 and 600 yards. One Sighter and Ten to count at each Range.

erument which has made a valiant fight against heavy odds, and looks at length like "coming out on top." Our power to aid the East is in all truth small enough in face of a Chinese-Japanese situation which is a menace to the world. But by strengthening in any way the hands of the only Government at present conceivably possible in China, and by extending in that way the orderly administration which she is seeking with increasing success to foster, we should be helping to remove any cause or occasion which Japan may have had for her aggression; and contribute much to the peace of the world as well as to the prosperity of our trade.

FAMOUS ACTOR
IN COLONYRonald Coleman.
Passes Through

A man, bronzed by the tropic sun, gifted by nature with a charming smile, and having a most dignified manner, that is the Ronald Coleman, who yesterday visited Hongkong for a few short hours while the steamship President Jackson, which brought him from Manila, was in the Colony. Different from a great number of famous film stars Mr. Coleman abhors ostentation and pretence, and does not chase publicity. When interviewed yesterday morning he was in his state-room, dressed in a pair of white duck trousers and a white knitted jersey, open at the neck, looking entirely a sportsman taking a little pleasure cruise rather than one of the most suave and polished actors in Hollywood on a round-the-world tour.

It is the second time this well known actor has visited the Colony and despite his travels to all parts of the globe he declares that the view one gets—entering this harbour—is the finest one—may ever hope to see.

Questioned as to the rumour concerning his forsaking the silver screen, Mr. Coleman smiled and said, "I am not giving up the screen but I am not subscribing to any more long contracts. I wish to be free to make the kind of pictures I like. As to the stories about my leaving America and playing only in England there are no grounds for them."

Mr. Coleman is an Englishman and was born at Richmond on the Thames. He first went to the United States in 1920 and appeared upon the legitimate stage in New York. In 1924 he began his American Movie Career in California and has been constantly gaining popularity ever since.

PRAISES PRODUCTIONS

Asked to give his comparison between the English and American productions, Mr. Coleman stated that up until a short time ago the films produced in the United States were much the finer but the English screen has made such rapid progress of late that it is difficult to judge. He said that the English production "The Private Life of Henry VIII." which he saw in Paris was one of the finest pictures ever produced.

In discussing the "Masquerader" which is appearing at the King's theatre this week and in which Mr. Coleman plays the leading role, he said that it was one of the most interesting productions he had ever taken part in, although at times the amount of mechanical work and trick photography made it extremely trying. In this story, he plays two parts and his able characterizations are a great testimonial of his ability.

UNIVERSAL POPULARITY

Different from many cinema favourites, Ronald Coleman appeals to men and women alike and it is no wonder. His voice and his physical attractions are enough to steal the heart of any member of the fair sex, while the dynamic personality that is shown in his every movement and the wealth of character that is expressed in his clear cut features and keen brown eyes make him a theatre goer realize that he is no spineless artist, but a man, who, when measured by real men's standards compares favourably with any one in his audience.

Mr. Coleman is fond of practically all kinds of sport and his chief pastimes when not making films are tennis, riding, fishing and photography. He reads a great deal, Byron, Keats and Browning being listed among his favourites.

Of course every actor has his favorite artists and Mr. Coleman is no exception. This is how he lists a few—

Helen Hayes—Finest Actress I have ever played opposite, easy to act with and a charming personality.

May West—Only saw her once and that was in Paris. I think she is a real actress and is so different from the majority.

Groucho Marx—The cleverest and most amusing comedian on the screen at the present time.

Amie Semple McPherson—One of the best showwomen in America.

HOPES TO RETIRE

Mr. Coleman hopes some day to retire from the screen and settle in Europe. Asked what he always wanted to write—a book but I doubt if I ever shall.

"Will it be about yourself?"

He gave one of those infectious smiles of his and slowly shaking his head said, "My book it, and when it is written, will contain

FIREMAN KILLED
IN COLONYTragedy at Midnight
Blaze

Shortly after midnight yesterday morning a fire broke out at 355 Queen's Road Central, and despite the presence of no fewer than six fire appliances, which were rushed to the scene, the whole building was gutted.

The house which was on fire was situated in a densely crowded locality and it was thanks mainly to the fine work of the fire fighters that the flames were prevented from spreading.

The gallant work of the firemen however, resulted in the loss of one of their number while another was removed to the Government Civil Hospital with severe injuries.

It appeared that the injured man, together with the man who lost his life, accompanied by Deputy Supt. J. C. Fitz Henry rushed into the ground floor of the burning building soon after the arrival of the Brigade. No sooner were they inside however, when the first and second floors crashed on them. Mr. Fitz Henry had a most miraculous escape as he had just stepped out of the floor when the crash occurred, while the man who escaped with injuries dashed towards the back exit and missed the fall force of the crash. The deceased however, was less fortunate and was caught in the falling debris.

When the crash occurred, the firemen's colleagues made gallant efforts to rescue their trapped comrades, and managed to extricate one of them. The other was not found until several hours afterwards, his body being terribly mutilated.

Among those who volunteered rescue work was Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones, the Magistrate, who despite the intense heat and falling debris, dashed into the building to see what he could do for the unfortunate men who were trapped.

THE LINGUIST

How Winston Got Firm Grip
On English

Mr. Winston Churchill confessed recently to the source of his elaborate vocabulary—the Guards!

Proposing the toast of "The Regiment" at the Grenadier Sergeants' Club's dinner in London, he said:—

"It is not the first time I have run against the Grenadier Guards. I remember that in the Omdurman campaign I came down the Nile on a boat for three or four days with a whole company of the 1st Bata. That is where I got my vocabulary."

"I have never lost the firm grip I then got upon the resources of the English language."

Mr. Churchill said he was sure that the reason why they had invited him as their guest was because his ancestor, the great Duke of Marlborough, received his first commission in the first Guards.

CLAIM AGAINST BISHOP

Chinese Plaintiffs Sues
For \$600

In the weekly Friday list yesterday was a case in which a claim of \$600 against the Vicar Apostolic of the Roman Catholic Church, Hongkong.

The claimant was Li Tai-shing, who was represented by Mr. F. Brown.

On behalf of defendant Mr. F. X. d'Almada, jr., asked for an adjournment of one week and mutual discovery, which were granted by the Puisne Judge, Mr. R. E. Lindsell.

10,000 KNEEL BEFORE

GROTTO OF VIRGIN

Paris, Nov. 6.
There was an impressive scene at Lourdes this morning, when 10,000 soldiers of the Great War fell on their knees before the grotto of the Virgin. They had come together for thanksgiving and intercession from all parts of France.

Some of the pilgrims had come scatheless through the war, and were merely fulfilling a vow taken on the battlefield. The great majority, however, were sufferers from gas or shell-shock, seeking relief for shattered nerves or weakened lungs. Some were beyond any aid that Lourdes can render.

"Poor fellow," whispered a girl to her friend, as such a case was wheeled past in a bath-chair. "Does he think he will recover his two lost legs?" The maimed man overheard her remark, and replied, "No, but I shall get the courage to do without them."

Pontific Mass was celebrated for the soldier pilgrims, with great pomp, by the Archbishop of Lille. The service took place in the bright sunshine outside the Church of the Virgin.

nothing about myself.

This last sentence is typical of the real Ronald Coleman and is doubtless the secret of his popularity. He is not interested only in himself but takes his joy from the things around him.

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E. D. C. WOLFE,
Inspector General of Police.
15th December, 1933. [2057]

HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the above Society will be held at the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. (by kind permission) on Tuesday, 19th December, 1933, at 5.15 p.m.

J. T. BAGRAM,
for Hon. Secretary.
Hong Kong, 9th December, 1933. [2059]

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a Meeting of the Board of Directors of Green Island Cement Company, Limited, held at Exchange Building, Victoria, in the Colony of Hong Kong, on Thursday, the 21st day of September, 1933, a Call of \$3.75 per share was made upon all the members holding shares who names appear in the Company's register of shareholders on the 21st day of September, 1933, upon which only \$3.75 per share has been paid, and it was determined that such Call should be paid on the 15th day of December, 1933, to the Company's Bankers, The Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, at their Head Office, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, and forward.

Upon presentation at the Office of the Company of Bankers' receipt for the payment of such Call, together with the Certificate of Shares, a note of the payment will be endorsed on the Certificate.

Dated this 21st day of September 1933.

By Order of the Board,
ALLAN KEITH,
Secretary.
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NEW BRITISH AIR ROUTE

The opening of another 1,500 miles of British air-lines, which will be inaugurated by the carrying of the Christmas mail from London as far as Singapore by the Imperial Airways, Limited, is an exceedingly important stride in British commercial aviation. The Indian airmail leaves to-day, December 9, and will arrive in Singapore on December 21, after being carried the two-day additional stage of 1,500 miles from Rangoon via Bangkok, Bandon and Alor Star—where the last night will be spent in Singapore.

None of us surely doubt that aviation will play as vital a part in the future of the Empire as shipping has done, and still does to-day. Each additional thread spun in the great web that draws closer the distant outposts must, therefore, be hailed as a major achievement in Imperial progress. While fine work has certainly been done in this greatest branch of transport, one with such infinite possibilities, we are far too inclined to pat ourselves on the back and turn a blind eye on the rapid advance made by others. When we consider the special significance of transport to a far-flung Empire and grant the vital importance of Great Britain being in the forefront of every branch of world transport, we must admit we have by no means made the rapid strides in mercantile aviation that we might.

It is true that an appreciable amount of surveying, planning and advance work has been done in Africa, the blossom of much of which will not bear fruit for many years yet. Also the years of economic distress, through which the country has had to fight its way, have been a serious drag on the wings of enterprise. Nevertheless it is expedient to our welfare

that we face facts squarely. Only so can we find a sure way to progress. We need not dwell on German and Russian air-lines which are rather outside our sphere, nor on the great work in civil aviation done in the United States, but to come nearer home we have the K.L.M. (Dutch Line) which has served Malaya so satisfactorily for over four years, and the excellent French lines in Indo-China, and that connecting Saigon with Bangkok.

While the Singapore projection has been a long time under way, it is satisfactory to know that it is at last coming into being, and we may rest assured that, with the thoroughness which has characterised all the undertakings of the Imperial Airways, the line will be a success. Singapore cannot escape the splendid fate which will make her of vast importance in Empire communications, forming as she does the connecting pivot with Australian air lines on whose early organisation we may now count. In its assignment as a Naval Base the rôle Singapore will play in aerial defence is of paramount consideration.

This latest lap of 1,500 miles between Rangoon and Singapore, however, can have no great bearing on the linking up of Hong Kong with the direct air-mail route from England except insofar as the stretch between Rangoon and Bangkok is concerned. Singapore will doubtless be directly connected with Hong Kong sooner or later, but it is geographically out of the main London-Hong Kong line.

Much speculation has been dispensed as to the route which would eventually be taken in the uniting of Hong Kong to the main line. Until comparatively recently it was felt that Rangoon would be the pivotal. Many points were in its favour such as its situation in British Territory and that it is the first major city after India within comfortable flying distance of Hong Kong. This theory would seem to be exploded from what we can now gather. Bangkok appears to be favoured instead. The chief factor to recommend it is the successful French line between Bangkok and Saigon. By making Bangkok the jumping off place, the L.A.L. will be able to take advantage of Bangkok-Saigon traffic, and, as a link in the main route, will be in an excellent position for

STELLA BENSON

Reported Dead At Hongay

(From Our London Office.)

London, December 8.
Stella Benson, the well-known novelist, is reported to have died of pneumonia at Hongay, Tonkin, on December 7. She worked for the Hong Kong Daily Press in 1922.

Stella Benson, who in private life was Mrs. J. C. O'Gorman Anderson, was born on January 6, 1882. After receiving her education at Home, her life was largely spent abroad in Switzerland, France, Germany, America and then China where she was for the past decade.

She took a small part in Women's Suffrage work in early 1914, and during the War worked for eighteen months in East London. She wrote several books, some of the more popular publications being "I Pose" (1915); "This Is The End" (1917); "Twenty" (1918); "Living Alone" (1919); "The Poor Man" (1922); "Pipers And A Dancer" (1924); "The Little World" and "Sketches of Travel" (1925); "Goodbye, Stranger" (1926); "Worlds Within Worlds" (1928) and "The Man Who Missed The Bus" (1928).

London, December 8.
The death occurred of Stella Benson, the novelist.—Reuter.

MR. MATSUOKA RESIGNS

Issues Demand For National Government

Tokyo, Dec. 8.
A dramatic appeal for the establishment in Japan of a truly National Government was made this morning by Mr. Yosuke Matsuoka, who was Japan's spokesman in the League of Nations' meetings on Manchurian dispute, and one of the most influential politicians in the country.
Mr. Matsuoka this morning issued a public manifesto, proclaiming his demand for the abolition in Japan of all political parties on the ground that they stand in the way of national unity in a time of national crisis.
To give point to his demand, Mr. Matsuoka has formally announced his secession from the Seiyukai Party and the resignation of his seat in the Diet.—Reuter.

HITLER KEEPS SILENT

Mussolini Disappointed

The German Ambassador to Italy yesterday informed the Premier, Signor Mussolini, that Chancellor Hitler had no proposals to make regarding disarmament or the League.

Signor Mussolini is believed to be most disappointed.—Reuter.

U.S. AMBASSADOR TO MOSCOW

Mr. Bullitt Only To Make Short Visit

London, Dec. 7.
Mr. William C. Bullitt, the first American Ambassador to Moscow, arrived at Plymouth on his way to Russia to-day.
He is expected to arrive in Moscow on Saturday and to return to Washington within a fortnight.

Dutch Indies and Malaya traffic to Hong Kong.

It must be remembered that there have always been the very closest ties between Siam and Great Britain so that territorial consideration will carry but little weight in favour of Rangoon. Thus through the vagaries of progress and the chance of geography Bangkok, too, would seem to be in the centre of Far Eastern air development. So soon as the Rangoon-Singapore line proves a success, and we may take it that Imperial Airways have delayed its development until they were ready, the outcome we may count on an early linking of Hong Kong to the main route.

CHIANG MUST RESIGN!

Leaders Of Peace Movement Insist

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Dec. 8.

Messrs. Chang Chi and Ma Chiu Chun, plenipotentiaries of the Central Government, will leave for the South to-day, according to a telegraphic message received by the authorities here late last night.

It is understood that Messrs. Chang Chi and Ma Chiu Chun besides coming down to the South to convene with the leaders here and to seek a peaceful settlement of the impending dispute between Fukien and Nanking, will persuade the members of the Central Executive Council, at Canton to attend en bloc at the forthcoming Fifth Plenary Session of the Kuomintang which has been scheduled to take place on December 20. However, it is generally believed that many of the members of the Central Executive Council at Canton will not take part at this meeting as some of the members are strongly against General Chiang.

With regard to the Fukien problem, it is rumoured that the leaders who started the peace movement have formulated five conditions: First, General Chiang Kai Shek, chairman of the Nanking Military Council, and Mr. Wang Ching Wei, president of the Executive Yuan should resign their respective posts. Secondly, the independence of Fukien and the People's Revolutionary Government at Foochow should be abolished, and at the same time the Southwest Political Council be nullified. Thirdly, the Nanking Government should be under thorough reorganisation. Fourthly, the Central authorities should give a chance to Generals Li Tsai Sun, Chen Ming Shu and their followers by not condemning their recent political uprising. Fifthly, the peace conference should be held at Canton and to be attended by the delegates from Nanking, Kwangtung and Fukien. It is stated that at the meeting of this conference the above terms will be dealt with and to be carried out into effect as soon as they are adopted.

Whether this conference could be successfully held or whether there has any amendments to be made in regard to those proposed conditions remain to be confirmed.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

For obtaining \$14 from the Local Employment Bureau, of 11 Queen's Road Central, a Chinese named Henry Chang was bound over by Mr. Balfour yesterday. He was ordered to refund the money or go to prison for three weeks.

Miss Nora Humphrys arrived in the Colony yesterday by the Tetsuta Maru for a visit. She is the daughter of Mr. Noel Humphrys, of British Columbia, the well-known civil engineer who is a probable candidate for Bridge River at the next Parliamentary elections.

The maximum sentence of \$250, or three months' imprisonment, was imposed by Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy yesterday, on Chan Ming, charged by Sub-Inspector Baker with being the master of a sly brothel, at No. 250, Queen's Road West. Wong Mui, a widow, was fined \$100, or two months' imprisonment, for keeping a sly brothel at No. 179, Hennessy Road, 3rd floor, and Wong Sze, a widow, was similarly fined in respect of premises at No. 123, Hennessy Road, 3rd floor.

NAVAL WEDDING NEWS SUMMARY

Addis—Poland

A wedding of particular interest to the Navy took place at 3 p.m. yesterday at St. John's Cathedral, when Miss Pamela Poland daughter of Captain Allan Poland D.S.O., R.N., and Mrs. Poland of H.M.S. Medway became the bride of Commander Charles Thorburn Addis (H.M.S. Medway).

The bride made a charming picture as she paused in the doorway of the Cathedral for a photograph. A shimmering net veil trailed far behind her, while a dress of white silver Franks must have made many a girl present sigh with envy. White orchids drooped from her hands, and tips of silver slippers completed a perfect picture.

Leaning on the arm of Captain Allan Poland D.S.O., who gave her away, the bride joined the bridegroom and the best man, Lieutenant Commander Hugh Browning R.N., at the altar.

The ushers, Lieut. Commander Cowley Thomas R.N. and Lieut. Commander J.A.C. Hill R.N., had much to keep them busy as there were crowds of guests. The Cathedral was practically full, the men in uniform making a bright splash of colour by themselves.

After the ceremony which was conducted by the Very Reverend Dean Swann and Rev. Austin Lee M.A. R.N., a guard of honour was formed by the Chief Petty Officers, Commander and Mrs. Addis passed through this and out of the Cathedral where another arch of crossed swords awaited them drawn by the Chief Commissioned officers. As the guests remarked this was the most splendid arch of crossed swords that had ever been witnessed.

The reception was held on board H.M.S. Medway. The toast was proposed by Admiral Sir Frederick Dreyer who said that it was a real sailor's wedding, the bride being a sister of a sailor, marrying a sailor, and being a sailor herself.

The bride and the bridegroom are sailing for Manila at 7 a.m. to-day. The bride's going away dress was a navy blue suit with a navy blue hat and a white organdie blouse.

There was a very large and distinguished gathering at the Reception which was held on board H.M.S. Medway and among those present were:

Lady Peel, Admiral Sir Frederick Dreyer and Mrs. Dreyer, H.E. the General Officer Commanding and Mrs. Borrett, Brigadier Rowan-Hamilton, Capt. Walter, A. D. C. The Very Rev. Dean Alfred Swann, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sheldon, Mr. and the Misses Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Compton, Mr. T. Addis Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Adamson, the Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, Mrs. and Miss Alabaster, Prof. and Mrs. Tottenham, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Shields, Mr. and Miss Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pearce, Sir Henry and Lady Pollock, Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, Miss A. Dodwell, Mr. Bond, Miss Sheila Hooper, the Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, Mr. V. M. Grayburn, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Murphy, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. C. Wolfe and Miss Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Wynne-Jones.

Ward Room Officers, H.M.S. Medway, W. O's Mess, Lt. Comdr and Mrs. Browning, Lt. Comdr and Mrs. Claridge, Lt. Comdr and Mrs. Corrie Hill, Lt. Comdr and Mrs. Slade, Lt. Comdr and Mrs. MacKenzie Edwards, Lt. Comdr and Mrs. Baker, Lt. Comdr and Mrs. Fletcher, Lt. Comdr and Mrs. MacVicker, Lt. and Mrs. Forbes, Lt. and Mrs. Linton, Lt. and Mrs. Brooks, Lt. and Mrs. Gregory, Lt. and Mrs. St. Clair Ford, Lt. and Mrs. Nicholas, Lt. Johns, Capt. and Mrs. Barnes, Capt. and Mrs. Bevan, Comdr and Mrs. Cowland.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

London, Dec. 8.
Lord Salisbury has given notice to the effect that he will introduce a bill on December 19, to reform the constitution of the House of Lords and also amend the Parliament Act of 1911.—Reuter.

Paris, Dec. 8.
M. Chartemps seems assured of a majority in the vital debate on the Finance Bill as the Socialists have decided by a vote of 28 against 22 to abstain from voting in connection with this troublesome clause providing for the taxation of civil servants' salaries.—Reuter.

The following forthcoming weddings are announced: E.R.A. Frederick James Saxby Hill of H.M.S. Medway, to Miss Ellen Ellen Baker, Army Schoolmistress of Kennedy Road, Hong Kong. Dr. Joseph Patrick Fahly, of 23, Lyceum Buildings, to Miss Lydia Nicolaivna Pchierova, physician, of Harbin. Mr. Terry Leung, assistant manager of the Queen's Theatre, and Miss Daisy Lyew, of 175, Tung Choi Street.

A commentary on the Races which are being held in Macao on Sunday appear on page 1.

Christian Science Lecture by Dr. Ross appears on page 7.

A Fireman was killed in the fire of 353 Queen's Road Central on Thursday's midnight. Page 7.

Forecasts of Home Football and air mail football notes appear on page 10.

Ronald Coleman has visited the Colony. An interview appears on page 7.

Starting Times at Fanling appear on page 11.

Teams for the Ladies Hockey Matches appear on page 11.

The wedding of Miss Pamela Poland and Commander Addis was solemnised yesterday. A full account appears on page 8.

Kowloon Supplement appears on page 12.

Engineering and Building Supplement appears on page 2.

"Morning Dew" gives the selections for to-morrow's race meeting at Macao. Page 1.

Entries and handicaps for the final race meeting of 1933, to be held on December 18, are given on page 10.

Stella Benson, the well-known novelist, is reported to have died of pneumonia at Hongay. Page 9.

Our Kowloon correspondent writes on the cheap rental of most of the Kowloon flats. Page 7.

MUI TSAI IN HONG KONG

Issue Again Raised in Commons

London, December 8.
Replying in the House of Commons yesterday to the National Liberal Member for E. Wolverhampton, Mr. Geoffrey Mander, regarding the progress in carrying out the Mui Tsai Ordinance in Hong Kong, Mr. R. F. Hudson, on behalf of the Secretary for the Colonies, Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister, referred to a despatch to H.E. the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E. on July 4.

It was then pointed out that the registration applied to only ex-mui tsai girls.

Three full-time Inspectors were employed for supervision. Particulars of prosecutions under the Ordinance were given in the despatch. No case of ill-treatment of a registered mui tsai had been reported.

Several benevolent institutions had helped the Government to find openings for girls seeking other employment. Mr. Hudson said.—Reuter.

LOST SCOTT MSS. DISCOVERED

Moscow, Dec. 7.
The manuscript of Sir Walter Scott's novel "The Talisman," which was bought by the Russian Ambassador in London in an auction in 1883 for \$1,000 and which was subsequently lost, has been found in the archives of the historical museum.—Reuter.

Rev. Chamberlain.
Comdr. and Mrs. Horne, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Tours, Comdr. Thomson, Comdr. and Mrs. Packer, Comdr. Rowley, Lt. Comdr. Beasant, Lt. Comdr. Yates, Eng. Capt. Claxton, Pay Lt. McMillen, Capt. Willis, Comdr. Jesselyn, Comdr. Shears, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Robertson, Lt. Comdr. Colgrave, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. P. C. Taylor, Inst. Comdr. and Mrs. Bother, Surg. Comdr. and Mrs. Gordon Taylor, Pay. Comdr. and Mrs. Lambert.

Comdr. and Mrs. Cresswell, Miss Hawkerhaw, Surg. Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Betram, Sub. Lt. Alexander-Sinclair, Capt. and Mrs. Sedgewick, Comdr. Lindsell, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Macbrayne, Comdr. and Mrs. Sydney Brown, Capt. Mannors, Lt. Boteler, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Tidd, Capt. and Mrs. Hamrick, Lt. Comdr. C. Christal-Edwards, Lt. Comdr. Sinclair Ford, Comdr. and Mrs. Howson, Lt. and Mrs. Morris, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Brewer, Lt. Swain, Lt. C. Tupper Carey, Capt. Mainwater, R.M., Lt. Hoare, R.M., Rev. Austin Lee, Lt. Cockburn, Capt. Wells, Comdr. and Mrs. Parry, Lt. and Mrs. Gowanland, Capt. Dewhurst, R.M., Pay. Lt. Comdr. C. and Mrs. Parrot, Lt. Bramwell, Flying Officer Moore, Lt. Comdr. Stephenson, Wing Comdr. and Mrs. Robt. Ft. Lt. and Mrs. James, Surg. Capt. and Mrs. Rivers, Eng. Comdr. and Mrs. McCarter, Comdr. and Lady Sismore, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Mary Burton, Surg. Comdr. Bayley Weeks, Pay. Comdr. Bayley Jones, Capt. Blandford, R.M., Comdr. and Mrs. Caldwell, Comdr. and Mrs. Colpoys, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Rawlings.

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Britain To Aid Newfoundland

MR. CHAMBERLAIN REVIEWS SITUATION

London, December 7. The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, in the Commons to-day, moved a money resolution on which a Bill will be founded to carry out the recommendations of the Royal Commission on Newfoundland.

That Bill, the Chancellor mentioned, would raise a number of extremely interesting and important questions affecting not only the people of Newfoundland but wider questions of Imperial relations.

The Chancellor referred to the findings of the Royal Commission, which showed that Newfoundland had been the victim of a vicious political system, and that if its financial position was to be restored, there should be a rest, for a time, from party politics. The Chancellor said it was only right to add that the present Government of Newfoundland had made most strenuous and praiseworthy efforts to bring about a better state of affairs. It was, therefore, all the more significant that the Government had endorsed the recommendations of the Royal Commission, and had entirely approved their proposals.

DEBT FIGURE
The Chancellor said the present public debt of Newfoundland amounted to £17½ millions sterling, plus 9,000,000 Canadian dollars, about £19 million at the present rate of exchange, on which the yearly interest was about one million sterling, representing 65 per cent. of Newfoundland's total revenue. The efforts of its present Government to bring expenditure in line with its revenue had been beaten by the economic depression and the disastrous fall in price of codfish and wood pulp.

The British Government had no hesitation in going to the aid of Newfoundland, as recommended by the Royal Commission, and hoped they might help the island to return to a self supporting basis. He proposed in regard to the Newfoundland debt, that the bulk of the creditors would not be paid in cash, but would receive stock of equal face value, backed by the Government of the United Kingdom, with interest at 3 per cent., which the Government

were advised would produce a par value equivalent to the nominal value of the stock.

EFFECT OF PROPOSALS
The effect of the proposals was that the annual interest burden would be reduced by \$350,000 a year, and the debt would amount to £2,000,000 of trust securities and about £17,000,000 of new stock. The new stock would carry a sinking fund of one per cent., which would start not more than five years hence. The burden of that sinking fund would be an additional £170,000 a year, but they might hope that before that began, the financial condition of Newfoundland would be so much improved that the burden would not prove to be excessive.

Nevertheless, he thought they must assume that it would be necessary for some years for Britain to come to the assistance of Newfoundland and make up the deficit in her Budget.

The British Government proposed that whatever advances were necessary should, up to end of 1936, be free gifts from Britain, and that afterwards they might be by loan, or gift, as decided later. He estimated that, including the £550,000 which Britain had already found during the last twelve months, and which was a free gift, Britain's total liability by the end of 1936 would amount to from £1,500,000 to £2,000,000.—British Wireless.

BRITAIN TO THE RESCUE
London, December 8. A financial resolution concerning Newfoundland was carried through the Committee stage in the House of Commons last night by 227 votes to 38, the Opposition and Liberals supporting the Government. The Chancellor of the Exchequer, in outlining the financial proposals whereby the British Government will come to the aid of Newfoundland and assist that Dominion to remain in a self supporting position, said that the deficit on the Newfoundland budget would be met at least for the first three years by a free gift from Great Britain, the total amount of which might be, as much as £2,000,000.—British Wireless.

INDIAN COTTON INDUSTRY

Liaison Officers To Be Appointed

London, Dec. 8. Two Cotton Commissioners who have not yet been appointed will go to India early in the new year as liaison officers in the hope of increasing the use of Indian raw cotton by Lancashire, according to the Manchester Daily Despatch.

The decision was based on the recommendation from the British Textile Mission to India and was announced by Sir Richard Jackson, chairman of the Indian Cotton Enquiry Committee who left for Bombay on December 1, last to meet the Indian Central Cotton Committee.

A further recommendation of encouraging the off take of Indian Cotton by arranging that adequate stocks be held in Liverpool or Manchester resulted in a satisfactory meeting with the Liverpool Cotton Association.

Sir Richard foreshadowed an early display in London, of Lancashire goods manufactured from ex-Indian Cotton.—Reuter.

MUTINY ON CONVICT SHIP

Report Of Fight Denied

Paris, Dec. 8. A sensational report from Algiers station that a mutiny had occurred on board a French convict ship which was bound for Guiana, and that forty convicts were reported to have been killed in a desperate fight with their gaolers, is partially denied by French semi-official quarters. It seems to be admitted that some trouble of a serious nature occurred on the convict ship, but according to semi-official quarters no convicts were killed.—Reuter.

WING COMDR. WILLOCK

London, December 8. Wing Commander Willock who was appointed Air Attache to China last September sailed for Shanghai on the s.s. Ranpura to-day.—Reuter.

INSTALLATION OF LORD IRWIN

As Chancellor Of Oxford

London, Dec. 7. Lord Irwin was this afternoon installed as Chancellor of Oxford University, with traditional ceremonial.

Heads of the House, doctors, proctors and the Public Orator met the new Chancellor at the great gates of the old schools and escorted him to Sheldonian, where, after the usual Latin formulae and a speech by the Public Orator, Lord Irwin was admitted as Chancellor.—British Wireless.

TO REMAIN ON GOLD STANDARD

French Government's Statement

Paris, Dec. 7. The Government declares categorically that France will not abandon the gold standard, said M. Bonnet in the course of the Budget debate in the Chamber to-day.

The finance Minister gave an assurance that the franc will be protected from outside pressure although he stressed the serious position of the Treasury.—Reuter.

PEACE SYSTEM IN DANGER

London, December 8. The president of the Disarmament Conference, Mr. Arthur Henderson, will to-day confer at the Foreign Office with Sir John Simon. Mr. Henderson last night returned from Paris, where he has had conversations on disarmament.

In an interview he took a grave view of the present situation and said on the whole, the collective peace system was in danger. He expressed the hope that the exchanges now taking place through diplomatic channels would make an international agreement possible.—British Wireless.

TO HELP BRITISH SEAMEN

Proposals by Chamber of Shipping

London, December 8. The Chamber of Shipping recommendations for a shipping subsidy as cabled by Reuter yesterday include an operating subsidy of ten shillings per gross ton annually on each British tramp steamer genuinely seeking cargo and engaged in international trade on a daily pro rata basis for each voyage, whether the vessel is laden or in ballast.

The subsidy should be paid from the day of signing on to the day of signing off as this will promote the employment of British seamen of whom forty thousand are at present in the ranks of the unemployed.

The Chamber also proposes a five-shilling per ton lay-up subsidy for a minimum period of thirty days. The Chamber urges that preferential empire produced goods should be confined to goods imported on British ships, while a discriminatory Customs Duties should be levied on cargoes imported on foreign ships.—Reuter.

DEFEND BRITISH SHIPPING
London, December 8. The Council of the Chamber of Shipping having considered the report of the special committee of the Chamber on "tramp" cargo ships, passed by 85 votes to 3, resolutions recommending that the Government be advised that when any section of the British Mercantile Marine can show that a temporary subsidy is necessary and will ensure its preservation for the time being. The Government should favourably consider the granting of such a temporary subsidy.

That the Government be asked to intensify its efforts to promote the trade group of nations willing to trade on reciprocal basis of equality of treatment and with this object a bilateral or multilateral trade agreement may be made with as many nations as possible, one of terms of which should be that they would no longer discriminate against British ships either directly or by grant of uneconomic subsidies. That in calculating the trade balance the services of British ships shall be remembered as an important national export and that buying power of the United Kingdom will be consistently and firmly used wherever possible to defend British shipping against uneconomic shipping practices. That the Government be used to take immediate steps to ensure the recognition in every part of the Empire of the gravity of the situation and the jeopardy in which their trade and communications will be placed if the present tendencies continue.

"EYE FOR EYE"
It is anticipated that the President of the Board of Trade will be in the House of Commons on Wednesday to state the Government's view on the shipping question. The "Times" to-day states that Governments other than the British Government are now spending about \$30,000,000 yearly on shipping subsidies as results of which the total mercantile shipping of the world has increased by 21 million tons, whereas the volume of freight to carry is smaller.

It says that just as Britain was driven after a long reluctance to meet tariffs by tariffs in order to put British industries on same level as their foreign competitors, so it may now be driven to meet subsidies with subsidies to protect those branches of shipping which are most hardly hit by foreign subsidies competition in whatever form the policy of self-defence is adopted, the test of it will be whether it is calculated to induce in other maritime nations the willingness hitherto lacking to discuss in practical terms the restoration of more equal conditions.—British Wireless.

PROPOSED LEAGUE AIR-FORCE

Condemned by Lord Londonderry

London, December 7. The question of the internationalisation of civil and military aviation was raised in the House of Lords to-night by Lord Allen of Hurstwood, who urged the Government to consider taking a further initiative at the resumed Disarmament Conference to secure the total abolition of military and naval aviation on the lines of the British draft convention and the internationalisation of civil aviation.

The Air Minister, Lord Londonderry, replying on the discussion, said Britain could not accept continuance of her present inferiority in air and if parity could not be secured by reductions elsewhere, then the converse proposition must follow and they would have no option but to begin to build upwards whilst continuing their efforts to secure an international agreement in fixing parity at the lowest level to which other nations would subscribe. He emphasised that this was

THE IRISH WILL Independent Always

New York, December 8. "Mr. Thomas shirked the issue of my statement of November 14," said Mr. De Valera, responding to a request by the Associated Press for a statement, "when he tried to persuade the world to believe that the Irish people were anxious to enjoy the privileges of membership of the British Commonwealth, implying that we were free to leave if we so chose."

"We have since stated plainly that the will of the Irish people of to-day, as always, will be free and independent."

Mr. De Valera stated that they have asked Mr. Thomas to say straightforwardly that an Irish severance from the Commonwealth would not lead to war or other aggressive action by the British Government. Mr. Thomas refused to answer, knowing that the pleasant relationship with Britain would not last a day if the Irish people were free to end it.

Threat of War.
Though Mr. Thomas attempted to deny the 1921 Treaty forced on Ireland under threat of immediate war, there was conclusive evidence that a threat was made. Mr. Thomas' latest despatch being proof that the British Government is not yet willing to withdraw it. While the threat remains, and the relations of the two countries are based on force, there can be no real understanding and no real friendship.

Pointing out that the Irish do not meddle with British affairs; Mr. De Valera added that the Irish wished to be allowed to manage their own affairs in the way which seemed best to themselves and on which only a basis of lasting peace is possible.

It is significant that the British Government who are professing ardent championship of International Peace to accept this as a basis for relations with the neighbouring small nation.—Reuter.

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Special Correspondent)

London, December 8. Following are the Silver Quotations on the London market to-day:

Dec. 8 Dec. 7	
Spot	18.9/18 18.11/18
Forward	18 18.11/18
The London on New York cross rate to-day closed at	2=U.S. 51.24

IRISH NOT SLAVES

De Valera Still Defiant

Dublin, Dec. 7. The Senate to-night approved the recommendations of the Imperial Committee on economic consultation and co-operation. Mr. de Valera, replying to a taunt that the Free State "could no walk into the British Commonwealth with one leg and out of it with another," said that co-operation was based upon absolute freedom of choice to enter and to leave.

Referring to the moral and Constitutional right to secede, Mr. de Valera said that the purpose of his last despatch to the British Government was to get the position clearly defined, but they ran away from it.

He expressed the hope that the British Government would understand that the Irish people were not going to be a slave people and that they would not be content to have any dictation.—Reuter.

A PREHISTORIC MONSTER

Roaming The Land In Invernesshire

London, Dec. 8.

Public sentiment has been greatly relieved by an announcement by the Secretary of State for Scotland that he has written to the Chief Constable of Invernesshire requesting that due precautions be taken that the monster that is alleged to be inhabiting Lochness is not to be trapped, shot or molested in any way.

Several persons of known sobriety assert having seen the monster in recent weeks which is variously estimated to be up to a hundred feet in length and is said to be a cross between a whale and an Ichthyosaurus.

The Zoological authorities, however, were sceptical even when confronted with photographs of the monster.

The Chief Constable has replied to the Secretary of State to the effect that he has posted policemen around Lochness and that all possible precautions will be taken to protect the monster.—Reuter.

U.S. AND BRITISH LIQUOR

No Agreement Yet Signed

London, December 7. Answering a Commons question, the Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, Mr. Anthony Eden, said no liquor marketing agreement between the United States and Britain was in existence.

The effective total quota for the United Kingdom had not yet been determined. He understood that certain proposals covering the transitional period from 8th December to 31st January next were now under consideration, and that it was possible that during that period a quantity equivalent to four months' supplies of the minimum annual quotas would be admitted at once in any event, but conversations on the subject were still proceeding with the United States Government, and it was not at present possible to give figures.—British Wireless.

DISSENSION IN U.S. ADMINISTRATION

Washington, December 7. Efforts were made to-day, with personal intervention of President Roosevelt, to bridge over the gaps which appeared over-night in the ranks of leading Administrations officials.

Both in the Department of Agriculture and in the Treasury Department there has been marked dissension.

All the disputing parties were invited to the White House to-day where President Roosevelt himself took a hand in the affair. Subsequently, Mr. Wallace, the Secretary of Agriculture, stated that they all had the same objective, namely, to get the farmer a fair share of the national income.

In the meantime, Mr. Morgenthau, acting Secretary of the Treasury, has announced that the Secret Service will be removed from the control of the Assistant Secretary, Mr. Hewes, because he (Morgenthau) must have direct contact with the men in charge of the branches.—Reuter.

U.S. LOAN ISSUE OVER-SUBSCRIBED

Washington, Dec. 7. President Roosevelt announced to-night that the issue of \$950,000,000 worth of One-Year Certificates of Indebtedness dated December 15 was over-subscribed. The issue has been closed. The money is to be devoted to the retirement of loans maturing on December 15.—Reuter.

NEW POST OFFERED

Later. After a conference at the Agricultural Department which lasted the better part of the day, the trouble culminated in Mr. Wallace offering Mr. Peek, the chief agitator, a new post.—Reuter.

DUTCH EAST INDIES AND RUBBER RESTRICTION

No Fixed Price Wanted For Five Years

FAIR CHANCE FOR THE NATIVE PRODUCER

Batavia, Dec. 8. The Dutch East Indies Government intend to communicate telegraphically before the week-end its standpoint in regard to rubber restriction to the Dutch Government.

These views were formulated at an extraordinary meeting of the Supreme Council yesterday.

The paper, "Javabode" summarising the position after yesterday's meeting points out that all depends on whether the European representatives at the conference are willing to accept the Dutch East Indies conditions.

It stresses the fact that rubber restriction has both its financial and economic sides, and the Dutch East Indies Government are at last considering making a protest, not only in the interests of growers but also the consumers whose needs require a lower basis than sixty cents per kilogram.

The Dutch East Indies do not want a fixed price basis for five years. A compromise on the Native Rubber Question many eventually be possible on a basis of an *ad valorem* proposal. The Dutch East Indies are disinclined to hand over their interests to some future International Rubber Council, but want something economical that guarantees a fair chance for the native rubber producer. The paper does not expect the Colonial Minister to materially alter the conditions laid down by the Dutch East Indies.—Reuter.

TO STABILISE PETROL PRICES

Scheme Submitted To Mr. Ickes

Washington, Dec. 7. A scheme to stabilise petrol prices by using an equalisation fund to keep the current price from depressing by keeping supplies off the market had been submitted to Mr. Ickes, Secretary of the Interior, by sections of the oil industry.

The scheme, it is understood, proposes that members of the industry should contribute funds for the purchase of a million barrels, which would be marketed slowly and in such a way as not to disturb prices.—Reuter.

A TEMPORARY HALT

New York, December 8. A virtual if temporary halt in President Roosevelt's gold purchase programme is indicated by Mr. Jesse Jones who announced that the domestic purchases totalled 354,000 ounces, valued at \$11,350,000.

Mr. Jones added that the foreign purchases were hardly enough to "make a gold bridge-work for a false tooth."—Reuter.

REBELLION IN FUKIEN

Northern Officials Seek Peace

Shanghai, December 8. The prospects of a political solution of the Fukien revolt have been brightened by an announcement that the punitive expedition against the rebels has been suspended, pending the plenary session of the C.E.C.

The C.E.C. is scheduled to meet at Nanking on December 20. In the meantime, four peace delegates from Nanking, Messrs. Chang Chi, Ma Chao-tsun, Huang Lu-yi and Chen Shao-ying are sailing to-morrow aboard the *As President Pierce*.

CONCESSIONS TO SOUTH
The "China Press" says the delegates carry a favourable response from Chiang Kai-shek, Mr. Wang Chiang-wei and other Government leaders in connection with proposals made by the South-West Political Council for the solving of the Fukien revolt and satisfying Southern aspirations.

The concessions made to Canton political feeling are said to include a shortening of the period of political tutelage and the formation of a Coalition Government including people who are not members of the Kuomintang Party.—Reuter.

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HOME FOOTBALL GAMES AND PLAYERS

F. A. TEAM AGAINST CANTAB

It is quite probable that the forward line turning out for the Football Association against the University at Cambridge on Thursday will represent England in her amateur international matches this season.

On his display in the Blackpool trial, J. W. Lewis seems assured of his place at inside-right, and if Fabian, whose progress has been impeded through injury this season, returns to form, he will probably get the outside berth. If F. P. Evans plays as well before the F.A. selectors as he has been doing for Golders Green, he will be asked to lead the attack.

The inside-left position is the most doubtful one. Webster will have to give a better display than he did for Corinthians against Cambridge on Saturday if he wishes to retain his place.

If he does, he is practically certain to have L. Finch as his partner. Barnett's winger has proved a worthy successor to Capt. Heggan.

REACTION IN FRANCE

I have had an interesting letter from a friend in Paris, describing the attitude there to the latest move of the home Rugby Unions towards the resumption of international fixtures with France.

It is generally felt, he says, that the secret commission is undignified. Apart from the question of principle, the suspense is arousing a certain amount of feeling among French enthusiasts.

"One old international" he continues, "told me that it was practically certain that Wales would play France in Paris this Easter. 'Why then,' he asked, 'all this fuss?'"

I can sympathise with the French sportsman. But he should remember that Wales has a duty to the other home unions.

BLACKBURN'S BAD LUCK

The injury to Thompson, their centre-forward, in the match against the Wolves on Saturday has created another problem for Blackburn Rovers. This is bad luck, for they were looking forward to a period of tranquillity, following the return of McLean, whose suspension has ended, and of Halsall, who has recovered from his dislocation.

Thompson, who was carried off near the end of the game, has broken the tibia in his right leg, and, like Gormie, their goalkeeper, who was injured in the match with Chelsea, he will be unable to play for a considerable time.

Thompson has been the main-spring of the Rovers' attack this season. His three goals on Saturday was his second hat-trick of this campaign.

EIGHT FIGHTS IN TWO MONTHS

Dick Corbett, the former bantam weight champion, is a busy boxer these days. Convinced that his best policy is to fight as often as he can if he is to regain the title, Corbett will have his eighth bout, in two months when he meets Dave Crowley at the Ring on Sunday week.

Later, Corbett hopes to have a contest with Tommy Watson, the feather-weight champion, of Newcastle. He should then be tuned-up for his title match with Johnny King, the bantam-weight holder.

YOUNG HEAVY-WEIGHT

Andre Lenglet, France's new heavy-weight boxing champion—he beat Grisselle for the title in Paris last week—is no new Carpenter. That much, I know, is admitted by all the French critics. But it is something to have a 30-years-old national heavy-weight champion, though Carpenter held the title when he was even younger than that.

Lenglet began boxing two years ago. Though he only donned boxing gloves three weeks before, he entered and won a heavy-weight novices' competition. From that time he has fought a dozen contests, earning the right to meet Grisselle by some impressive displays.

WIMBLEDON REFEREE

Mr. Frank Burrow, the old Oxonian, who has been invited for the sixteenth successive year to referee the lawn tennis championship meeting at Wimbledon, hopes to see a British champion crowned before his reign is over.

During his years of office France has won the title six times, America six times, and Australia three. Mr. Burrow's programme, by the way, have a unique value, because each of them contains the autograph signatures of the last eight survivors of the year.

MISS ROUND'S WORLD TOUR

Miss Dorothy Round and Miss Mary Healey, who visited California after playing in the Wimbledon Cup match, are, I hear, returning to England by a long sea route, which will include visits to

Japan and China

They will have been round the world before they return home. They may play a little tennis at one or two of the ports, but no official matches have been arranged. They are expected at Marseilles on Dec. 20.

VINES NOT TO BE RANKED

I understand that the name of Ellsworth Vines will not be found in the official ranking list for 1933 issued by the United States L.T.A., although the former American champion did not turn professional until the tournament season was over.

This decision follows the precedent created in 1928 when there was a discussion as to whether Vincent Richards should be classified. Richards did not become a professional until the championship was concluded.

The ranking committee ultimately decided to omit Richards, and in the following year the following resolution was adopted by the governing body: "None but amateurs shall be included in any official ranking of the United States Lawn Tennis Association or its subsidiary associations."

NATIONAL SNOOKER HANDICAP

A national snooker handicap, open to amateur players in Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Irish Free State, is being organised. The prize list is an imposing one with a first of £100 and others to a total value of £400.

In order to minimise travelling, entries are to be divided into a number of areas, in which eliminating contests will be played. The last rounds will be decided at the London hall of Burroughes and Watts, the organisers, to whom entries should be sent before Dec. 14. Play starts on Jan. 1, 1934.

LEEDS AT WHITE CITY

London Highfield, the Rugby League club who play by floodlight at the White City, entertain Leeds to-morrow. Highfield were beaten 23-7 at Leeds on Saturday, but most of the critics, present at the match agree that this was a flattering margin, and I should not be surprised if the result was reversed to-morrow.

Leeds are a club with great traditions. They have won the Challenge Cup three times, and last year were beaten in the semi-final by Huddersfield, the eventual winners. They have also secured the Yorkshire Cup on four occasions.

Twelve Leeds men have represented England v. Australia, the most recent being Smith (S.), who played on the wing at Manchester. The side are no strangers to floodlight football, having played an exhibition match against Wigan at the White City last year.

BOLTON GET A SURPRISE

Bolton Wanderers 1, Blackpool 2. Blackpool have laid low the Bolton "bogey".

In 14 previous League matches they had only once beaten the Wanderers, and their victory at Burnden Park, while thoroughly deserved, was a surprise to Bolton people.

Bolton possibly missed Milson, who was unable to take his place at centre forward, but apart from this the Wanderers never displayed form in attack which suggested they would overcome a stout defence.

In the first place they committed the unpardonable error of keeping the ball too close, especially when within shooting range. Secondly, they had not a marksmen with any power.

It was a sign of weakness when, in the closing stages, McKay and Eastham changed places, and however clever the latter may be in footcraft he does not at the moment appear to be built to stand the buffeting of Second League football.

BOLTON'S PROBLEM

While the Wanderers probably held the advantage in the first half they never looked so dangerous as the opposition, and they had the wind taken out of their sails in the first two minutes when Nicholson let in Smalles to centre, for Bussey to score the opening goal.

McKay in 20 minute equalised from a penalty kick when Taylor was fouled, but after this Blackpool were nearly always on top, and when Smalles obtained the winning goal after Church had saved from Hampton it was no more than they deserved.

They played a strong game fore and aft, Thomson and Smalles being particularly troublesome on the wings, while Watson, Crawford and Shipman were outstanding in defence.

There was no better back on the field, however, than Finney, who was well seconded by Atkinson, but the Bolton defence as a whole did not create confidence under pressure. It is clear that Bolton must tackle their forward problem without delay. Six goals

HOME FOOTBALL

Final Selections

HOME

Huddersfield
Liverpool
Tottenham
Bolton
Manchester U.
West Ham
Walsall
Halifax
Brentford
Burnley
Oldham
Northampton

AWAY

Coventry
Blackburn
Kilmarnock

DRAW

Mansfield
Leicester
Preston

In the last six League matches is not the sort of average for a team with promotion aspirations.

PORT VALE BELIE REPUTATION

Burnley 0, Port Vale 0. At Turf Moor the Second Division leaders were a very poor second to a team that could hardly be termed moderately good.

In the first half the Burnley forwards the worst one had been seen for some time. Yet, so feeble was the Port Vale defence that Burnley should have scored enough goals to have made certain of victory long before the interval. Poyser and Vickers were so worried that they simply refused to keep the ball in play.

The first half was one of the worst football shows that a Turf Moor crowd has seen for a long time.

Burnley were bad, but they were streets ahead of Port Vale. From the interval Burnley must have realised just how little reputations count in football, for they came back to overwhelm their opponents with play that lacked nothing in dash and enthusiasm, even if it was not really good class.

I do not know how Port Vale survived; they were a well-beaten team in everything but goals.

But Burnley must get some better wing forwards. They will not always be able to count themselves so unlucky, and they were, very.

TALE OF TWO CITIES

Stoke City 0, Manchester City 1. Is there a defence in the country playing better than that of Manchester City?

Stoke City would probably attribute their defeat at the Victoria Grounds to the excellence of this part of their opponents' side, especially in the second half.

Throughout this period the home men attacked for fully two-thirds of the time, but they were never able to make the slightest impression on Langford and his colleagues.

Langford was magnificent and throughout the back play of Barnett and Dale was as cool as it was clever. The trio never put a foot wrong, and with them Cowan collaborated splendidly. I was in this part of the team that was in the main responsible for the victory, though the forwards did some good work.

Even in the second half, when they were reduced to a line of three, they were often dangerous. The only goal was scored by Toseland 15 minutes from the interval from a back-pass by Tilson. Iseland was always a dangerous raider and Brook made some sparkling runs although he did not always finish well.

Stoke had a great opportunity of saving at least a point directly after City had taken the lead. A penalty was given against McKelvie for handling, but Sale missed the mark with his shot.

As on the Manchester side, the Stoke defence was good all through, and Cowan was a splendid counter-part in Turner, who was one of the outstanding men on a side.

Where Stoke failed was in attack. The right wing, and particularly Liddle, was always good, and Johnson improved in the second half but not a great deal, whose finishing was weak.

It was a splendid tactical move by City to withdraw Tilson and Marshall as they did, although it probably accounted for Stoke having more of the play after the change of ends.

Stoke City—John: Spencer, Beachill, Tutin, Turner, Sellers, Liddle, Davies, Sale, Soo, and Johnson.

Manchester City.—Langford, Barnett, Dale, Busby, Cowan, McKelvie, Toseland, Marshall, Herd, Tilson, and Brook.

THEIR OLD FAULT

Leicester City were beaten at home before 20,000 spectators by Blackburn Rovers, by 2 goals to 1. In the run of the play Leicester should have kept both points, for they did most of the attacking in the second half, but the Blackburn defence was sound, and to some extent Leicester exhibited their old fault of not taking chances. Blackburn were not free from

RUGBY FOOTBALL

Club & Army Teams For To-day

The Club First XV is engaging the Army in a friendly encounter at Sookumpoo to-day kick-off 4.00 p.m. This will be the third meeting of these two teams this season and as each have won a match both sides will be going all out for a win and a hard fought match should result.

The Club are not at full strength as their hooker, Bradford, was injured against the Navy last week and is unable to play. Jones, who had been selected for his first game with the Club is also unable to turn out owing to a knee injury received during last Wednesday's "A" fixture. The Club side will be as follows: J. P. Whitham; J. J. Ferguson, W. H. B. Rigg, R. H. Griffiths, G. P. Lammert; M. W. Turner, J. A. R. Selby (Captain), G. A. Stewart, D. A. Cumming, A. F. Walker, F. R. Burch, H. A. Munro, D. McLellan, R. O. F. King.

Reserves, J. Hutchison, H. C. Meeke, S. H. Garrod. The Army will be represented by Sgt. Gaird (S.W.B.), Lieut. A. G. Martin (S.W.B.), Lieut. P. Simmons (S.W.B.), Lieut. T. B. S. Galletly (S.W.B.), Lieut. D. P. St. C. Roisier (S.W.B.), Lieut. R. J. Walker (R.E.), L. O. Hewitt (S.W.B.), Lieut. B. L. E. Hebert (R.A.), L. Cpl. Hardy (S.W.B.), Pte. Gilmore (S.W.B.), Pte. Walters (S.W.B.), Gunner Barracough (R.A.), Pte. Jones (S.W.B.), Pte. Lloyd (S.W.B.), Lieut. Metcalfe (R.A.).

Referee Rev. E. G. Evans, R.N. The above game will be preceded by a match between a Navy "A" XV and an Army "A" XV, commencing at 2.45 p.m.

ARMY "A" TEAM

Bdr. Hall R.A.; Gnr. Hubbard R.A.; Lt. Murray-Williams, Lincoln; Pte. Kioch S.W.B.; Pte. Addison S.W.B.; Pte. Hoskin S.W.B.; Lt. Wilson, Lincoln; Lt. Andrews, East Lancs; Cpl. Chikien, Lincoln; L/Cpl. Hughes S.W.B.; Pte. Hiley, S.W.B.; Pte. Peele, Lincoln; Lt. Ramon, R.A.; Lt. Tim, Lincoln; Lt. O'Connor, Lincoln. Referee—Capt. Gottwaltz.

is fault, but they were more enterprising in their forward methods, although they had considerably fewer opportunities.

Harper, signed only on Friday, fitted in admirably and was a fine leader in the style of play which caused most danger to Leicester, long kicks and fine following up.

Chandler opened the scoring for Leicester early in the first half, Harper equalising before the interval. Five minutes from the end, after Leicester had been attacking for nearly a quarter of an hour, a dash by Harper developed so dangerously that McLaren left his goal, but the ball was passed to Bruton, who put on the winning goal.

THE FASHION IN FOOTBALL

Is it not ironical that after travelling the country over Mr. Jack Tresadern has found the outside left, he wanted almost on the Crystal Palace doorstep? Clarke, a young amateur from Blackheath, has filled the position satisfactorily.

While it must be agreed that there is a decline in the wealth of talent at home, I do not think that is the reason why clubs are turning to South Africa for players. It just happens to be fashionable, that's all.

When it was made known that Plymouth Argyle were to join in the South African hunt I got into touch with Mr. Jenkin, who represents the Dominion on the Council of the football Association. This is what he had to say about it:

It must be very discouraging to those who have struggled for years to put South African football on a higher plane, but we must not lose sight of the fact that the players are free agents. They have their own lives to live and livings to earn. Nevertheless the country is certain to feel the loss of its best players.

Sending to South Africa for footballers savours of forwarding coal to Newcastle. That, at least, is the view of Mr. Harry Curtis, manager of Brentford.

On Saturday I saw James put up as good a show at centre half as any I have seen this season. "Where did you find him?" I asked Mr. Curtis. "I didn't. Go and ask him for yourself," said the Brentford manager.

James, in all modesty, told me that he played for the Y.M.C.A. at Battersea Park or any other club at any old park so long as it helped him to improve his football.

One day James turned up at Griffin Park and asked for a trial. Mr. Curtis saw that he had ability, and from that, James had nothing; in fact he was a unit in the unemployed army.

It is now five years since he went cap in hand to Brentford. To-day he is one of the best pivots in the Division.

Still on the subject of centre half-backs, reference must be made to Goodier, the Queen's Park Rangers' Lancashire-born player, who is probably the best stopper the club has had since the days of Charlie Rance, who is probably better known to the Spurs' crowd.

TO-DAY'S LOCAL FOOTBALL

Changes in Civilian Team

Owing to the Lal Wah Cup matches to-day, there will be no senior league games.

The Civilian team as selected will be three players short. Elias, Kowloon, Howe, Club (Captain) and A. V. Gosano are still on the injured list. Their places will be taken by A. Duncan (Club). Elliott will lead the attack, with Ward coming in at the inside right position. C. Pile will be at back with Sid Strange, who will take over the captaincy.

Extra time will be played in both games if necessary. On the Kowloon F. C. ground, The Navy and Army meet. It would appear that the Navy should be easy winners, but several upsets have previously taken place in these cup matches, that the unexpected may happen.

At the Valley the Chinese and Civilian meet. With the changes in the Civilian team they will take some time to settle down, but they will give the Chinese a good run and expect to come out on top. The team will turn out as under—McHardy, C. Pile, S. Strange (Captain); Robertson, Bekrao, A. Duncan, B. Gosano, A. Ward, Elliott, E. Strange and Bickford.

The only game in division II is between the South China and R. A. and this should end in favour of the home team.

In division III, South China, S.W.B., Lincolns and R.A.S.C. should win.

On Sunday, the charity games at Caroline Hill should draw a large crowd. South China is fielding the "strongest" available team, while the Services have a first rate XI on paper.

The junior game between the Borderers and Chinese Athletic should be a good curtain raiser. The R. A. and Athletic play their postponed game on the Kowloon F. C. ground on Sunday.

Much of Queen's Park Rangers' success is due to Goodier, who used to operate in the wing-half position.

SURPRISE FOR GIBSON

"That's news to me. I did not know anything about it."

So said Gibson, the Aston Villa half-back, when asked about the report that he had intentions of becoming a manager.

Writing to his father, a great Scottish half-back, he said: "Did you see the funny story; me manager and then you my chief scout. That would be good."

The other day a letter reached the Villa half-back from India addressed "Jimmy Gibson, care Dad (Neilly), care Glasgow Rangers, Ibrox-road, Glasgow." It went to Birmingham.

VENTERS' CHOICE

Blackburn Rovers need not blame the Rangers too severely for taking Venters, the Cowdenbeath inside forward.

The player wished to remain in Scotland, and when the offer came from Ibrox he had no hesitation in accepting it.

The report that Manchester United had offered the Rangers Stewart, their outside left, in exchange for Stevenson is without foundation. Ibrox has never heard of it officially.

EYES ON MILLS

When Mr. Arthur Grimmsdell was the manager of Clapton Orient he considered that there was a big future for Mills the young inside left whom he discovered in local football and who, for the second time, has been honoured by Wales in the international match with Ireland at Newcastle on Wednesday.

After Mills had played against Ireland, Mr. Ted Robbins, the secretary of the Welsh F.A., wrote to the Clapton Orient club expressing complete satisfaction with the display he had given.

One result has been to attract attention to Mills, in whom I hear several clubs have been taking an interest, among them Newcastle United.

SPARTAN FOR WEDNESDAY

Sheffield Wednesday have done a good stroke of business by securing the transfer of J. Wynn, Elvin Spartans' inside right. A younger brother of the former Cardiff City forward who died from the effects of being struck on the heart by a cricket ball on Tyneside some 18 months ago. Wynn shows every promise of developing into a first-class player, being an exceptionally clever dribbler and a strong shot.

His only fault, with the Spartans has been lack of speed, but it may be expected that this will be promptly remedied with skilful training. It is worthy of mention that he is the first player transferred from the famous nursery to a first-class club other than Everton in the past five seasons.

CRICKET

The following will be representing the H.K.C.C. 2nd XI in their friendly vs. Royal Engineers at Sookumpoo, Saturday, December 9, 2 p.m.

H. J. Armstrong
S. G. Cutler
J. Hunter
L. D. Kilbee
A. D. Lowson
A. K. Mackenzie (Capt.)
H. Marshall
R. S. W. Paterson
J. E. Potter
T. M. L. Redmond
R. F. Talbot

and the Athletic should win.

THE GAMES

To-day's matches are as under:

Kick-off at 3.30 p.m.
Chinese v. Civilian, Hong Kong F.F. ground. Referee: Marine Hobbs; Linesmen: C.P.O. Dobb and P.O. Wrench.
R. Navy v. Army, Kowloon F.C. ground. Referee: Mr. F. W. Baldwin. Linesman: P. O. Dunn and Sgt. Marshall.

Hong Kong League: Division II. Kick-off 2.30 p.m.
South China v. R.A. Caroline Hill. Referee: Sgt. Reeks. Division III.

Kick-off 2.30 p.m.
R.E. v. South China. Military. H. V. Referee: A. B. Broad. R.A.F. v. S. W. Borderers. King's Park. Referee: Mr. C. Mose.

Division III. Kick-off 4.0 p.m.
Lincoln Regt. v. Recreio. Chatham Road. Referee: Flight Sgt. Clarke. R.A.S.C. v. Radio. S. C. Military. H. V. Referee: Mr. H. London.

SUNDAY FOOTBALL
Hong Kong League: Division I. Kick-off 4.0 p.m.
R.A. v. Chinese Athletic. Kowloon F.C. ground. Referee: Musician Heath.

CHANGE IN ARMY XI.
Private Haggins, the Lincolnshire Regiment, is playing at Centre-Forward for The Army on Saturday and not Private Forley.

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9.35 a.m.—K. S. Robertson, R. K. Valentine.
9.40 a.m.—A. E. Lissaman, O. E. C. Marton.
9.45 a.m.—J. S. MacLaren, J. B. Ross.
9.48 a.m.—K. S. Morrison, T. A. Pearce.
9.52 a.m.—H. H. Beddow, A. W. Muir.
9.56 a.m.—A. W. Hodges, G. H. Bond.
10.00 a.m.—C. Thwaites, A. V. Greaves.
10.04 a.m.—S. H. Doodwell, A. B. Raworth.
10.08 a.m.—F. D. Hunter, I. H. Geare.
10.12 a.m.—A. E. Thompson, L. M. S. Lloyd.
10.16 a.m.—A. Kidd, P. S. Grant.
10.20 a.m.—E. des Voeux, D. Ellis.
10.24 a.m.—A. Sommerfelt, T. S. Whyte Smith.
10.28 a.m.—J. W. Mayhew, R. A. Rodgers.
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10.44 a.m.—H. H. Munday, A. C. I. Bowker.
10.48 a.m.—H. T. Buxton, T. R. Chassels.
10.52 a.m.—G. B. S. Thomson, D. S. Edward.
10.56 a.m.—W. E. Hunt, R. R. Davies.
11 a.m.—H. S. Forster, R. S. Johnson.
11.04 a.m.—A. O. Brawn, N. K. Littlejohn.
11.08 a.m.—H. H. Pathick, A. T. Lay.
11.12 a.m.—D. S. Robb, H. C. Hopkins.
11.16 a.m.—E. Schroter, W. Mulcahy.

NEW COURSE

9.32 a.m.—J. Fleming, W. H. E. Thomas.
9.36 a.m.—A. Ritchie, G. W. Tolmie.
9.44 a.m.—Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Grant.
9.52 a.m.—J. M. Gray, C. G. Murrable.
10 a.m.—Col. & Mrs. Matthews.
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10.16 a.m.—N. M. Cochran, A. H. Harbord.
10.24 a.m.—H. D. Brown, Mrs. Clark.
10.32 a.m.—H. F. Phillips, R. Young.
10.36 a.m.—W. Thomson, C. C. Worral.
10.40 a.m.—G. A. Stewart, J. W. Platt.
10.44 a.m.—A. D. Lowson, G. T. May.

Sunday, December, 1933, Division I. R.A. v. Chinese Athletic, on Kowloon F.C. ground, kick off at 4.0 p.m. This match was postponed on November 26, 1933.

TO-MORROW'S CHURCH SERVICES

(Second Sunday in Advent)

Anglican Churches

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL, HONG KONG.

10th December 1933.
Second Sunday on Advent.
Holy Communion, 8 a.m.
Holy Communion (Peak Church), 8 a.m.
Children's Service, 10 a.m.
Mornings and Sermon, 11 a.m.
Preacher: The Dean.
Evensong, 6.30 p.m.
Preacher: The Bishop of Hong Kong.
Subject: "Man's Conduct."
Week Day Services.
Mornings, Daily at 9 a.m.
Intercessions for the Sick.
Wednesday at 10.15 a.m.
Holy Communion. Thursday at 7.45 a.m.
Choir Practice. Friday at 5.30 p.m.

OTHER NOTICES

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Services for Sunday, December 10th, 2nd Sunday in Advent.
8.15 a.m. Holy Communion.
10 a.m. Young People's Service & Primary Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.
Preacher—The Bishop of Hong Kong.
Subject—"The Coming of Christ in our prayers."
6 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon.
Preacher, The Vicar.
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Catholic Churches

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL (CAINE ROAD).

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In the morning:
At 6 Mass.
At 8 Mass.
At 10.30 High Pontifical Mass and Papal Blessing.
In the afternoon:
At 3.30 Vespers and Benediction.
Week days:
Mass at 6 and 7.30 a.m.
Dec. 12th. Holy Hour from 6.30 to 7.30.
Dec. 18th—Novena for Christmas at 5.30 p.m.
Vespers and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Free Churches

METHODIST CHURCH

Second Sunday in Advent.
Morning Order by the Rev. E. O. H. Tribbeck.
Hymn No. 150. "Tell me the old, old story" P.H. 60.
Invocation.
First Lesson Isa. 2.
Hymn No. 118. "Immortal Love for ever full" Tune 95 "Tallis" Ordinal.
Second Lesson Gospel for the Day.
Prayers of Intercession.
Notices.
Hymn No. 548 "God of all power, and truth, and grace" Tune "Wareham" No. 526.
Sermon.
Hymn No. 657 "We love the place, O God" Tune "Quam Dilecta".
National Anthem.
Evening Order 8 p.m. by the Rev. E. O. H. Tribbeck.
Hymn No. 678 "None is like Jeshurun's God" (Jeshurun).
Lesson Epistle for the Day Rom. 15.4 ff.
Prayer.
The Lord's Prayer.
Hymn No. 793 "Master, speak! Thy servant heareth" ("Ottawa").
Reading.
Notices.
Hymn No. 405 "I could not do without Thee" ("Magdalena").
Sermon.
Blessing.
Vesper.
Notice for the week.
Tuesday, 12th Dec. at 8.30 p.m. Service conducted by Rev. E. O. H. Tribbeck.
Friday, 15th Dec. at 6 p.m. Meeting for Prayer.
At the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home.
Saturday, 9th Dec. at 2.30 p.m. Hike to Virgin Spring.
Sunday, Dec. 10th at 8.30 p.m. Christian Social Hour.
Monday, 11th Dec. Badminton

Club meets 7 p.m.
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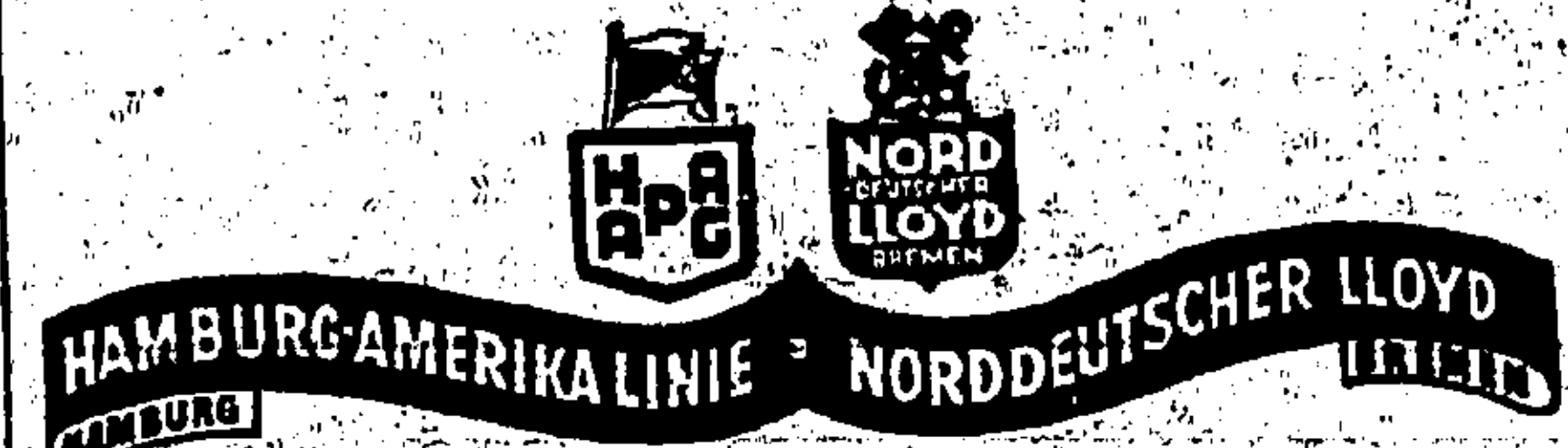
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HOCKEY

The following will represent the Hong Kong Ladies' "A" XI in a match against the St. Andrews at Soekunpoo on Saturday, 9th December, 1933, at 3.15 p.m.
M. Bird, B. Hebling, P. Thorpe, B. Hance, M. Wallace, H. K. Lowe, E. Bell, J. Dalziel, J. Churchill, B. Goldman, E. Selby.
The following will represent the "B" XI in a match against the H.M.S. "Berwick" at the Naval Ground, Happy Valley, at 3 p.m.
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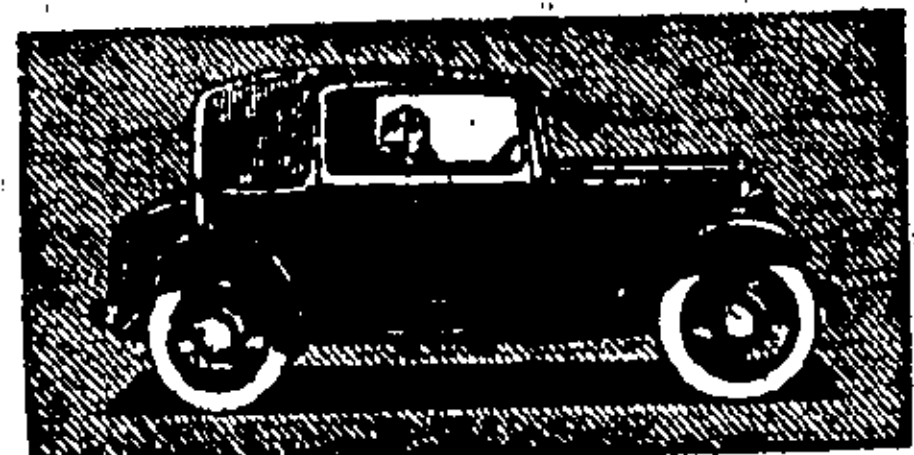
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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

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thou hearest the sound thereof,
but canst not tell whence it
cometh, and whither it goeth: so
is every one that is born of the
Spirit."

TREATMENT OF DISEASE

Take the time occasionally to
reason along these lines: That
God, instead of being a kinglike
being off in the clouds somewhere,
is Mind and Life. That He is
here and now. Trivially here it
is true; He makes Himself visible
or manifest through spiritual man,
establishing divine intelligence and
irrepressible life in each in-
dividual, for man is consciousness
rather than corporeality, existing
in Mind not matter, out of reach
of the perils of mortal existence.
As you work out this dynamic pro-
position and grasp its significance
you will gradually find yourselves
lifted out of the realm of disease
and danger into the upper realm
of health and safety.

When you gain the true concept
that God is Mind and Life, you see
how it is that you are always in
His presence. You are always in
the presence of intelligence, are
you not? So near is it that it is
your life. You cannot get any-
thing between you and your in-
telligence. Whence comes this in-
telligence? So far as it is sound
and true it is the divine Mind as-
serting itself through you. God is
nearer if could be, than your
thoughts. Your true self is at-one
with Him; His intelligence is your
intelligence and His life is your
life, for there is only one Life.
How then can your life be corrupt-
ed with disease? How can your
intelligence be so confused as to
believe in disease or evil? How
can your well-being or existence
be put in jeopardy? It cannot if
you understand the truth of be-
ing.

Disease and accident are mortal
and material concepts and can-
not come into the presence of
God, and you are never apart from
Him. Where do disease and ac-
cident and death come? They
come in human belief, illusion, or
dream. Indeed, mortal existence
is no more than a dream that we
have strayed from God's presence
into a realm of danger. Necess-
sarily as we lay hold of the fact
that actually we are always in the
presence of God, in a place of safe-
ty, and cannot get away from Him
because He is our very life and
intelligence, the dream of separa-
tion, with its attendant difficul-
ties, dissipates, and we awake to
the security which is the birth-
right of spiritual man.

LIFE IRREPRESSIBLE

Before the advent of Christian
Science most of us had a very
inadequate concept of God. He is
more, as Paul points out, than
merely around and about man.
He is everywhere, and man is His
reflection. His expression, His li-
keness. This means that harmonious
and irrepressible life is in opera-
tion right where pain or distress
may seem to be, because God is
All-in-all. The realization of the
ever presence of God works the
annihilation of obstruction, in-
flammation, or any other suppo-
sited disorder; that is, it causes the
bellever in sickness and reveals the
fact of health.

This realization or declaration of
truth is a treatment or prayer; and
anyone can pray. You pray when
you think your highest and best;
and when you think your highest
and best, that is, when you insist
upon and recognize the fact of
harmonious life and being and re-
pudiate the claim of sickness and
mortality, you undermine the
foundations of disease and death
and lay hold of reality and eternal
Life. You then glimpse the fact
that spiritual man is the expres-
sion of imperishable Life; that he
is, to use Paul's words, "the temple
of the living God," unpropounded
and unfettered by sin or suffering.

Never doubt that intelligent
prayer is effective. Never suppose
that the injunction, "Pray without
ceasing," is impossible. You can
be occupied with the sublimest
thoughts, and oftentimes you are
while busy with the homely tasks
of daily existence. Through medi-
tation and desire for understand-
ing you open the door to heaven-
ly visitors. Inspiration and re-
velation are not obsolete. God's
voice has not been silenced for

CHEAP RENTS IN KOWLOON

A Policy That Brings A Steady Return

By Our Special Correspondent

The reason why so many Hong
kong people have forsaken this side
of the harbour for Kowloon is not
hard to find, and although the
Chinese, or perhaps one should say
the semi-European style of house
in Hongkong is popular enough,
the middle class people seem to be
slowly but steadily migrating to
Kowloon. That is to say, all but
those who are fortunate enough to
be able to afford to pay the high
rental demanded by most landlords
on the island.

There is one thing that must be
said for the land and property
owners in Kowloon. When they
contemplate putting up a house or
a block of houses, they do not
build on every available square
inch as it were, also they see that
the flats are designed in such a way
as to give a maximum of comfort.
The same cannot be said of the
landlords in Hongkong. Only the
other day, the writer was shown
round one of the houses in the
Wanchai district that was adver-
tised as "modern apartment flats."
The only thing modern about it is
perhaps the material that was used
and so far as the rooms were
concerned, they were just placed
anyhow and anywhere, while trying
to find the bathroom was not unlike
indulging in one of the games of
our younger days—hide and seek!

Regarding the flats in Kowloon,
there is very little "cramping" to
be found. Rather than offend in
this manner, landlords in Kowloon
would sooner do with one room less
when planning a flat and that is
why the flats in Kowloon are so
comfortable. That is so far as the
flat for the average man is con-
cerned. For those whose salaries
allow them the luxury of a small
house, either detached or semi-
detached, the houses in the Prince
Edward Road district are as near
the "perfect home" as we see ad-
vertised in the magazines, as anyone
can wish for.

In addition to comfortably laid-
out rooms, we see small front gar-
dens or lawns attached to each one
of those houses while the short
"drives" up to the garages which
are to be found invariably at the
side of each one of these houses,
add to the "compactness" of the
whole affair.

For all of this, the owners of the
different houses ask a very reason-
able return. Maybe due to the
fact that they realise that at a
time when everything is in the
development stages it would not do
to put too high a price on anything,
house rent in Kowloon is distinctly
cheaper than that in Hongkong.
Whatever it is that prompts them
to make such reasonable charges, it
is certainly bringing them a good
return, and if one were to make a
careful tour of Hongkong and Kow-
loon, one feels that more vacant
houses will be found in Hongkong
than over the other side.

inclined to proclaim that there
is no work and that the world has
no need of them; when, if they,
would insist upon the fact that
every individual is important and
indispensable, regardless of age
or past failures, the situation
would improve. There is some-
thing important, awaiting the at-
tention of every individual, some-
thing no other person can do.
After taking this rational mental
attitude, let the person in need of
employment, realise that the all-
knowing Mind gives him the in-
telligence and vision to find his
work or position. Then let him go
and look for it, expecting to
find it and willing to do the work
when found. No one is without
opportunity and no one need be
without employment.

God must express Himself, must
express divine intelligence, life,
and substance. These His quali-
ties. He expresses through spiritual
man. You can therefore say of
the real man, indeed you cannot
say less if you would state the full
truth, that he is the invisible God's
opportunity for making manifest
every good thing. To use Paul's
language, "He giveth to all life
and breath and all things."
We speak of people being out of
place, or out of employment, when
the fact is that man, governed by
divine Principle, cannot get out of
his place or escape activity. Not
only does Principle uphold and
direct man, but it operates through
him. Man therefore really cannot
be idle nor can he stray out of
the divinely appointed path.

Take a lesson from the heavens.
Does not gravity hold each planet
in its orbit? One star does not
depart from its course or get in
the way of another. How little
rivalry and lawlessness are there,
because the unerring law of
gravitation reigns. Most certainly
does divine Principle reign in
the affairs of man. And divine
Principle is not a blind, mindless
force; it is a living, a knowing,
an all pervading power that brooks
no interference. In a world thus
governed by Principle it is impos-
sible for man to stray from the
realm of health and usefulness.
He does so only in belief, and this
mistaken belief, loses its hold the
moment he realizes that he is in
the grip of Principle. Then his
mortal wanderings cease.
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Nankin, E. & A., Dec. 30.

Townsville.

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Los Angeles

Tatsumo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, Dec. 13.
Heijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 19.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, Dec. 25.
Gertrude Maerck, Jebson's, Dec. 30.
Palstra, Manners', January 3.

Panama.

Tatsumo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 11.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, Dec. 13.
Heijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 19.
Gertrude Maerck, Jebson's, Dec. 30.

Portland.

Pleasantville, Bank Line, Dec. 25.

Philadelphia.

Gertrude Maerck, Jebson's, Dec. 30.
Glaucus, B. & S., Jan. 6.

Puerto Rico.

Pleasantville, Bank Line, Dec. 25.

San Francisco.

Tatsumo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 9.
Tatsumo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, Dec. 13.
Heijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 19.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, Dec. 19.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, Dec. 25.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, Dec. 30.
Palstra, Manners', January 3.

Seattle.

Tyndare, B. & S., Dec. 14.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M.L., Dec. 23.
Palstra, Manners', January 3.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, Jan. 6.

South America (W.O.)

Tatsumo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 9.
Heijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 19.

Vancouver, B.C.

Tyndare, B. & S., Dec. 14.
Palstra, Manners', January 3.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Jan. 4.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Jan. 18.

Victoria, B.C.

Tyndare, B. & S., Dec. 14.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M.L., Dec. 23.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Jan. 4.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, Jan. 6.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Jan. 18.

SOUTHWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East.

Change, B. & S., Dec. 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 23.
Nankin, E. & A., Dec. 30.

Balboa.

Tatsumo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 9.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, Dec. 13.

Batavia.

Tibbadak, J.C.J.L., Dec. 12.

Bangkok.

Hiram, Thoresen's, Dec. 10.
Kwaiyang, B. & S., Dec. 10.
Bintang, Manners', Dec. 10.
Hellas, Thoresen's, Dec. 17.
Kwangchow, B. & S., Dec. 17.
Hermad, Thoresen's, Dec. 31.

Batavia.

Tibbadak, J.C.J.L., Dec. 12.

Belawan.

Change, B. & S., Dec. 19.

Brisbane.

Change, B. & S., Dec. 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 23.
Nankin, E. & A., Dec. 30.

Cebu.

Change, B. & S., Dec. 19.

Cristobal.

Tatsumo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 9.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, Dec. 13.

Davao.

Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 23.

Haiphong.

King Yuan, B. & S., Dec. 15.

Halifax.

Silverteak, Furness', Dec. 23.

Kolow.

King Yuan, B. & S., Dec. 15.

Macassar.

Tibbadak, J.C.J.L., Dec. 12.

Manila.

Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, Dec. 9.
Palstra, Manners', Dec. 12.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, Dec. 13.
Tibbadak, J.C.J.L., Dec. 12.
Change, B. & S., Dec. 19.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, Dec. 21.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Dec. 22.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 23.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, Dec. 23.
Silverteak, Furness', Dec. 23.
Teiresias, B. & S., Dec. 26.
Nankin, E. & A., Dec. 30.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, Dec. 30.
Tamara, Gilman's, Jan. 1.
Palstra, Manners', January 3.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Jan. 4.
Glaucus, B. & S., Jan. 6.

Melbourne.

Change, B. & S., Dec. 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 23.
Nankin, E. & A., Dec. 30.

Menado.

Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 23.

Pakhoi.

King Yuan, B. & S., Dec. 15.

Rabaul.

Nankin, E. & A., Dec. 30.

Saidakam.

Mau Sang, Jardine's, Dec. 21.
Hin Sang, Jardine's, Jan. 12.

Sourabaya.

Tibbadak, J.C.J.L., Dec. 12.

Sydney.

Change, B. & S., Dec. 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 23.
Nankin, E. & A., Dec. 30.

Thursday Island.

Change, B. & S., Dec. 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 23.
Nankin, E. & A., Dec. 30.

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TAIYO MARU ... Wednesday, 24th Jan., at 10 a.m.

SEATTLE & VANCOUVER.

HIYE MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Wednesday, 27th Dec.

HEIAN MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Friday, 29th Jan.

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM

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TERUKUNI MARU ... Friday, 5th Jan.

HAKUSAN MARU ... Saturday, 20th Jan.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.

ATSUTA MARU ... Saturday, 23rd Dec.

KAMO MARU ... Saturday, 27th Jan.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

TOYAMA MARU ... Tuesday, 12th Dec.

TOTTORI MARU ... Friday, 29th Dec.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los

Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

HEIYO MARU ... Tuesday, 19th Dec.

NEW YORK via Panama.

TAKETOGU MARU ... Wednesday, 17th Jan.

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus.

Genoa and Valencia.

DAKAR MARU ... Friday, 15th Dec.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

MALACCA MARU ... Friday, 15th Dec.

BENGAL MARU ... Friday, 29th Dec.

SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

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D'ARTAGNAN ... 30th Jan.

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ARABIS ... 27th Feb.

To SHANGHAI — KOBE.

PORTHOS ... 18th Dec.

CHRONORCAUX ... 31st Dec.

D'ARTAGNAN ... 14th Jan.

ATHOS II ... 28th Jan.

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Ships in Harbour, etc.YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT
RETURNSIMPORTS 14,020 TONS;
THROUGH CARGO,
18,680 TONS.The returns, shown at the Har-
bour Office of vessels carrying
cargo to the Colony during the 24
hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday
were:—

Cargo for	Through
British.	Ports.
Sirdhana, Kobe 414	1,558
Sunning, Swatow 328	218
Wing Lee, Canton —	200
Hai Ning, Swatow 50	—
	782 — 1,966

American.	Through
President	Ports.
Van Buren, Shanghai 1,700	4,353
	1,700 — 4,353

French	Through
Com. Henri	Ports.
Riviere, Hoihow 2,250	625
	2,250 — 625

Japanese.	Through
Fushimi	Ports.
Maru, Shanghai 101	6,919
Sensan Maru, Dairen 3,755	—
Tenyo Maru, Sakata 4,901	—
Panama Maru, Batavia 255	2,897
	9,012 — 9,816

Chinese.	Through
Swabue	Ports.
Stanley, Swatow 248	1,900
	273 — 1,900

Total 14,027 18,680

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought
Asiatic deck passengers to the
Colony during the 24 hours ended
at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Sirdhana (British), Kobe	115
Sunning (British), Swatow	91
Wing Lee (British), Canton	83
Hai Ning (British), Swatow	183
Com. Henri Riviere (French), Hoihow	105
Fushimi Maru (Japanese), Shanghai	25
Panama Maru (Japanese), Batavia	12
Stanley (Chinese), Swatow	30
Hai Shang (Chinese), Swatow	82
Total	726

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures
during the period under review
were:—

British	Arr.	Dep.
American	1	0
French	1	0
Dutch	0	4
Norwegian	0	2
Japanese	4	3
Chinese	2	2
Total	14	19

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant ships
were in harbour yesterday:—

Wharves.
Kowloon:—Fushimi Maru, Presi- dent Van Buren, President Jackson, Tatsuta Maru.
Socony, Lalchik:—Louise Moller China Merchants:—Hai Shang.

CLEARANCES

December 8.
Borneo, for Singapore.
Canton, for Haiphong.
C. Henri Riviere, for Canton.
Chinhua, for Dairen.
Panama Maru, for Yokohama.
Hai Shang, for Swatow.
Hokusan Maru, for Shanghai.
Huichow, for Swatow.
Hupei, for Haiphong.
Kwangtung, for Foochow.
President Jackson, for Shanghai.
Sirdhana, for Calcutta.
Sunning, for Canton.
Tokushima Maru, for Singapore.
Yuko Maru, for Singapore.
Zuiko Maru, for Hongay.

MARINE COURT CASES

Unlawful Boarding Of Ship

Two Chinese, Kwan Yee and
Kwan Leung, described as unem-
ployed, appeared before Commis-
sioner Newell at the Marine Court
yesterday, charged with unlawfully
boarding the s.s. Kaying with-
out the permission of the ship
master or the Officer-in-charge of
the ship.
Both defendants pleaded guilty.
A European Sergeant who pro-
secuted, told His Worship that the
second defendant, Kwan Leung
had previously been convicted for
a similar offence.
The Magistrate imposed a fine of
\$20 or one month's hard labour on
the first defendant and \$20 or six
weeks' on the second.Douglas Lapral:—Hai Ning and
Yang.

Docks.

Kowloon:—Empress of Asia, Ping
Ching, Valaya, Sul An, Ting Ying.
Taikoo:—Kau Sing, Tyndareus,
Phemius, Siamese Prince, Halldor,
Hong Peng.

Buoys.

No. A1—Cumberland.
A3—Sirdhana.
A4—Panama Maru.
A5—C. Henry Riviere.
A6—Tokushima Maru.
A8—Misaki Maru.
A9—States.
A11—Unyo Maru.
A15—Silver Teak.
A16—Falstria.
B3—Huichow.
B5—Clara Jensen.
B7—Lyemboon.
B9—Borneo.
B14—Kwelyang.
B15—Hupei.
B16—Havdrot.
B17—Hiram.
B19—Chinhua.
B20—Sunning.
B25—Tokyo Maru.
B27—Sensan Maru.
C1—Canton.
C7—Shikuo Maru.

IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION.

The following ships were in wire-
less communication with Hong
Kong yesterday:—
Hushan Maru, Arabia Maru, New
Orleans, President Van Buren,
Soma, General Pershing, Kalgan,
Cremor, Comm. Henri Riviere,
Sidaio, Kum Sang, Siamese Prince,
Kamona, Wing Lee, Chichibu Maru,
President Pierce, General Sherman,
Michigan, Louise Moller, Sunning,
Benarty, Alaska, Maru, Phemius
and President Jackson.
The B.I. and Apcar Line s.s.
Shirala left Singapore for this port
on the afternoon of the 7th inst.
and is due here on the morning of
the 13th inst.

ARRIVALS

December 7.
C. Henri Riviere, French str., 1,355
tons, Capt. P. B. Morganti,
from Hoihow, buoy No. A5.—
Sing Kee and Co.
Falstria, Danish str., 2,771 tons,
Capt. P. Franzen, from Shang-
hai, buoy No. A18.—John Man-
ners and Co.
Fushimi Maru, Japanese str., 6,848
tons, Capt. B. Matsukura, from
Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—
N.Y.K.
Hai Ning, British str., 840 tons,
Capt. E. Walker, from Swatow,
Douglas Wharf.—Douglas and
Co.
Hai Shang, Chinese str., 2,047 tons,
Capt. A. Spinger, from Swa-
tow, C.M.S.N. Wharf.—C.M.S.N.
Co.Panama Maru, Japanese str., 3,567
tons, Capt. N. Imoto, from
Tawau, buoy No. A4.—O.S.K.
President Jackson, American str.,
8,377 tons, Capt. M. M. Jensen,
Kowloon Wharf.—A.M.L.
President Van Buren, American str.,
8,195 tons, Capt. J. H. Ben-
son, from Shanghai, Kowloon
Wharf.—Dollar S.S. Line.
Sunning, British str., 1,570 tons,
Capt. W. L. Thomas, from Swa-
tow, buoy No. B20.—B. and S.December 8.
Hakusan Maru, Japanese str., 6,270
tons, Capt. N. Komiyama, from
Singapore, buoy No. A2.—
N.Y.K.
Hunan, British str., 1,621 tons,
Capt. G. Wright, from Tsingtao,
buoy No. B3.—B. and S.
Koromiko Maru, Japanese str., 1,541
ton, Capt. E. Jones, from Can-
ton, Yaumati.—Williamson and
Co.Kum Sang, British str., 3,341 tons,
Capt. W. Field-Hook, from
Amoy, Kowloon Wharf.—J. M.
and Co.
New Borneo, American str., 3,858
tons, Capt. J. W. Anderson,
from Hoihow, P.I., buoy No. A9.—
States S.S. Co.Silverteak, British str., 3,893 tons,
Capt. Cherry, from Hoihow, P.I.,
buoy No. A15.—Furness (Far
East) and Co.
Somali, British str., 3,522 tons,
Capt. T. H. Kemp, from Shang-
hai, Stonecutters to buoy A7.—
M.M. and Co.Tatsuta Maru, Japanese str., 10,017
tons, Capt. S. Ito, from Shang-
hai, Kowloon Wharf.—N.Y.K.

PASSENGERS

ARRIVALS

The following passengers arrive
yesterday by the s.s. President
Jackson:—
Mr. & Mrs. H. F. Cutler, Mrs.
E. R. Feeney, Mr. Richard
Feeney, Mr. Robert Feeney, Mr.
& Mrs. W. K. Grove, Col. & Mrs.
Lennox Irving, Mr. & Mrs. G. S.
Joannides, Mr. Carlesde Orteyza,
Mrs. Jane Wells, Miss Anne Wells
and Miss Martha Wells.The following passengers arrived
in Hongkong yesterday by the
s.s. President Van Buren:—
Mr. J. P. Barnett, Miss Isabel
Carson, Sir Show Son Chow, Mr.
H. Chu, Mr. Bert L. Feibelman,
Mr. & Mrs. W. E. Flanagan, Miss
Katherine Franke, Miss Carolyn
Franke, Mr. & Mrs. L. R. Gowing,
Miss Rea Gowing, Miss Grace
Hazard, Mrs. Kwan Suk Yi, Mr.
T. Y. Lin, Mr. Loh Van Shao, Mr.
Meh Chi Yan, Mr. A. F. Munro,
Miss Marie O'Connell, Mr. Nikolaus
Philipson, Mr. Henry Sifton, Mr.
C. C. Wang, Mr. T. N. West, Mr.
& Mrs. Yat Hung Kan, Mr. Yee
Shiu Kee, Mr. C. T. Yui and Mrs.
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"RANCHI"	17,000	16th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	30th Dec.	do
"BANGALORE"	6,000	6th Jan.	Marseilles, Havre, London, H'g, B'm, A'warp. & Hull
"NALDERA"	16,000	13th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
"CORFU"	15,000	27th Jan.	do
"BHUTAN"	6,000	3rd Feb.	Marseilles, Havre, London, H'g, B'm, A'warp. & Hull
"BANFURA"	17,000	11th Feb.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
"BEHA"	6,000	17th Feb.	do
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	24th Feb.	Marseilles, Havre, London, H'g, B'm, A'warp. & Hull
"BOUDAN"	6,800	3rd Mar.	do
"COMORIN"	15,000	10th Mar.	Marseilles, Havre, London, H'g, B'm, A'warp. & Hull
"CHITRAL"	15,000	24th Mar.	do
"BURDWAN"	6,000	31st Mar.	Marseilles, Havre, London, H'g, B'm, A'warp. & Hull
"RANCHI"	17,000	7th April	Bombay, Marseilles & London
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	21st April	do
"SOMALI"	6,800	28th April	Marseilles, Havre, London, H'g, B'm, A'warp. & Hull
"NALDERA"	16,000	6th May	Bombay, Marseilles & London

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"SHIRALA"	8,000	6th Jan.	do
"SANTHA"	8,000	20th Jan.	do
"TAKADA"	7,000	3rd Feb.	do

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Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
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Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"SHIRALA"	8,000	15th Dec.	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Osaka
"NALDERA"	16,000	15th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"BHUTAN"	6,000	28th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"SANTHA"	8,000	28th Dec.	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Osaka
"CORFU"	15,000	28th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"BEHA"	6,000	7th Jan.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"NALDERA"	16,000	7th Jan.	do
"TAKADA"	7,000	13th Jan.	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Osaka
"BANFURA"	17,000	13th Jan.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"BOUDAN"	6,800	24th Jan.	do
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	24th Jan.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TAKADA"	7,000	4th Feb.	do
"COMORIN"	15,000	9th Feb.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"BURDWAN"	6,000	22nd Feb.	do
"CHITRAL"	15,000	23rd Feb.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"NANKIN"	7,000	4th Mar.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"RANCHI"	17,000	9th Mar.	do
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	23rd Mar.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"NALDERA"	16,000	6th Apr.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"CORFU"	15,000	19th Apr.	do
"MANTUA"	11,000	3rd May	do
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	17th May	do

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Issued & Fully Paid-up \$30,000,000
Reserve Funds:—
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Silver \$10,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors \$20,000,000

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Foreign Exchange and General Banking Business transacted. Current Accounts opened and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

A. BREARLEY, Manager.
Hong Kong, Nov. 17th, 1933. [30]

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MAILS FOREIGN

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(a) The charge for telegrams to Shanghai and Coast Ports will be based on the ordinary rate and to other places on one-third the ordinary rate.

(b) The minimum charge for all places will be for ten words. Full particulars may be had on application to the Radio Office.

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Rangoon-Amsterdam via Singapore
Saigon-Marseilles via Saigon.

Correspondence for Europe and intermediate countries will be accepted for transmission by these Services. Rates and all particulars are shown in the schedules exhibited at the General Post Office and Kowloon Office. All letters etc., must be marked "By Air Mail" and handed in at the General Post Office and Kowloon Office.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS

FROM	PER	DATE
SHANGHAI and SWATOW	Suiyang	8th Dec.
MANILA	Gen. Pershing	9th Dec.
SHANGHAI and ANOY	Tei Yuan	10th Dec.
SHANGHAI and SWATOW via SINGAPORE (London, 16th November)	Scarbrough	11th Dec.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 17th November)	Pres. Pierce	11th Dec.
JAPAN	Tyoma Maru	11th Dec.
STRAITS	Amoy	11th Dec.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA	Changsha	13th Dec.
CALCUTTA and STRAITS	Shirata	13th Dec.
KUMON via SUZU (Letters and Papers) (London, 16th November—and Parcel, 9th November)	Saldora	14th Dec.
SHANGHAI	Onio Koro	14th Dec.
JAPAN	Daiwa Maru	14th Dec.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA	Malacca Maru	14th Dec.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 17th November)	Pres. Jefferson	15th Dec.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Brachi	15th Dec.
JAPAN	Brachi Maru	17th Dec.
STRAITS	Aganomon	17th Dec.
STRAITS	Harada Maru	18th Dec.
SHANGHAI	Orion	18th Dec.
SAIGON	Porto	18th Dec.
CALCUTTA and STRAITS	Amoy	18th Dec.
SHANGHAI	Hector	18th Dec.
JAPAN	Taiwa	19th Dec.
SHANGHAI	Felix Bonnet	19th Dec.

OUTWARD MAILS

REGISTERED and PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are closed at 8 p.m. on the previous day.

FOR	PER	DATE AND TIME
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 7th January 1934.	Kunming	Saturday, 9th, London P.O. 9:00 a.m. Lok. 9:00 a.m. Reg. 8:45 a.m. Letters 8:30 a.m.
Australia (except places North of Brisbane) and New Zealand via Singapore and Brisbane—due Brisbane, 2nd Jan. 1934.	Kunming	Reg. 12:15 p.m. Letters 1:00 p.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Kunming	Parcels 1:00 p.m. Letters 2:00 p.m.
Manila	Gervase Maerk	1:30 p.m.
Bangkok	Halcyon	2:20 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 1st January 1934—and EUROPE via Siberia	General Pershing	Reg. 4:15 p.m. Letters 5:00 p.m.
Foochow via Swatow	Yataishan	5:00 p.m.
Swatow and Bangkok	Kunming	Sunday, 10th, 8:00 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Monday, 11th, 8:00 a.m.
Manila, Malacca and Sourabaya	Tynda	Tuesday, 12th, 9:30 a.m.
Swatow, Anoy and Foochow	Halcyon	2:00 p.m.
Manila	Halcyon	4:30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honoluli, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 3rd Jan. 1934—and EUROPE via Siberia	Taiwa Maru	Reg. 12th, 4:00 p.m. Letters 12th, 3:50 a.m.
Swatow and Foochow	Yataishan	Wednesday, 13th, 8:30 a.m.
Manila, Japan, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 5th Jan. 1934—and EUROPE via Siberia	Tynda	Par. 12th, 5:00 p.m. Reg. 14th, 9:45 a.m. Letters 10:30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Brindisi—due Brindisi, 4th January 1934	Onio Koro	Reg. 4:15 p.m. Letters 5:00 p.m.
Japan and EUROPE via Siberia	Kamo Maru	Friday, 15th, 9:30 a.m.
Hankow and Peking	Kunming	Noon
Halcyon	Canton	2:00 p.m.
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service"	Ranchi	Reg. 15th, 4:30 p.m. Letters 15th, 5:00 p.m.
	G.P.O.	Reg. 15th, 5:00 p.m. Letters 15th, 9:00 a.m.

* Superscribed correspondence only.

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HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From December 9, to 15 1933.

Days of Week	Date	High Water	Low Water
Sat.	9	15:39	7:22
Sun.	10	16:13	8:04
Mon.	11	16:47	8:46
Tues.	12	17:21	9:28
Wed.	13	17:55	10:10
Thur.	14	18:29	10:52
Fri.	15	19:03	11:34

HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, December 8.

Previous Day	On Date	On Date
at 4 p.m.	at 10 a.m.	at 4 p.m.
Barometer... 30.0	30.7	29.97
Temperature... 63	70	71
Humidity... 79	81	83
Wind... Direction E	E	E
Force... 3	3	3
Weather... O	O	BC
Rain... 0.37	0.00	0.00
Highest open-air Temperature... 77		
Lowest open-air Temperature... 8: 57		

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning; M=Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing Showers; Q=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

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Current Accounts opened in LOCAL CURRENCY and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in LOCAL CURRENCY and Sterling on terms which will be quoted on application.

Hong Kong, 1st December, 1933.

HONG KONG SAVINGS BANK.

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For the Hong Kong & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
V. M. GRAYBURN, Chief Manager.
Hong Kong 3th November, 1933.

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Paid-up Capital 8,685,000
Reserve Fund 1,150,000

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Paid-up Capital £1,000,000
Reserve Fund and Res. £1,246,735

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Hong Kong Branch:
Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted. Travellers' Cheques issued. Trusts and Executorships undertaken.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits at Rates that may be ascertained on application.

J. B. ROSS, Manager.
7, Queen's Road Central,
Hong Kong, July 19th, 1933.

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Authorized Capital Gld. 100,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital Gld. 28,000,000.00
Reserve Fund Gld. 28,000,000.00

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Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Current Accounts, Deposits, etc.

J. M. MORHAUS, Actg. Manager.

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Reorganized October 23, 1923, under special charter of The National Government as an INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE BANK.

Subscribed Capital \$25,000,000.00
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Reserve Funds 3,330,503.82

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Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Loans granted on approved securities.

Current Accounts opened in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in Local and Foreign Currencies on terms which will be quoted on application.

Safe Deposit Boxes To Let.

KAN TONG PO, Chief Manager.
Hong Kong, 24th November, 1933.

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

Capital (fully paid up) Yen 100,000,000
Reserve Fund Yen 121,450,000

Head Office: YOKOHAMA.

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Interest allowed on Current Accounts.

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H. MORI, Manager.
Hong Kong, Nov. 4, 1933. [25]

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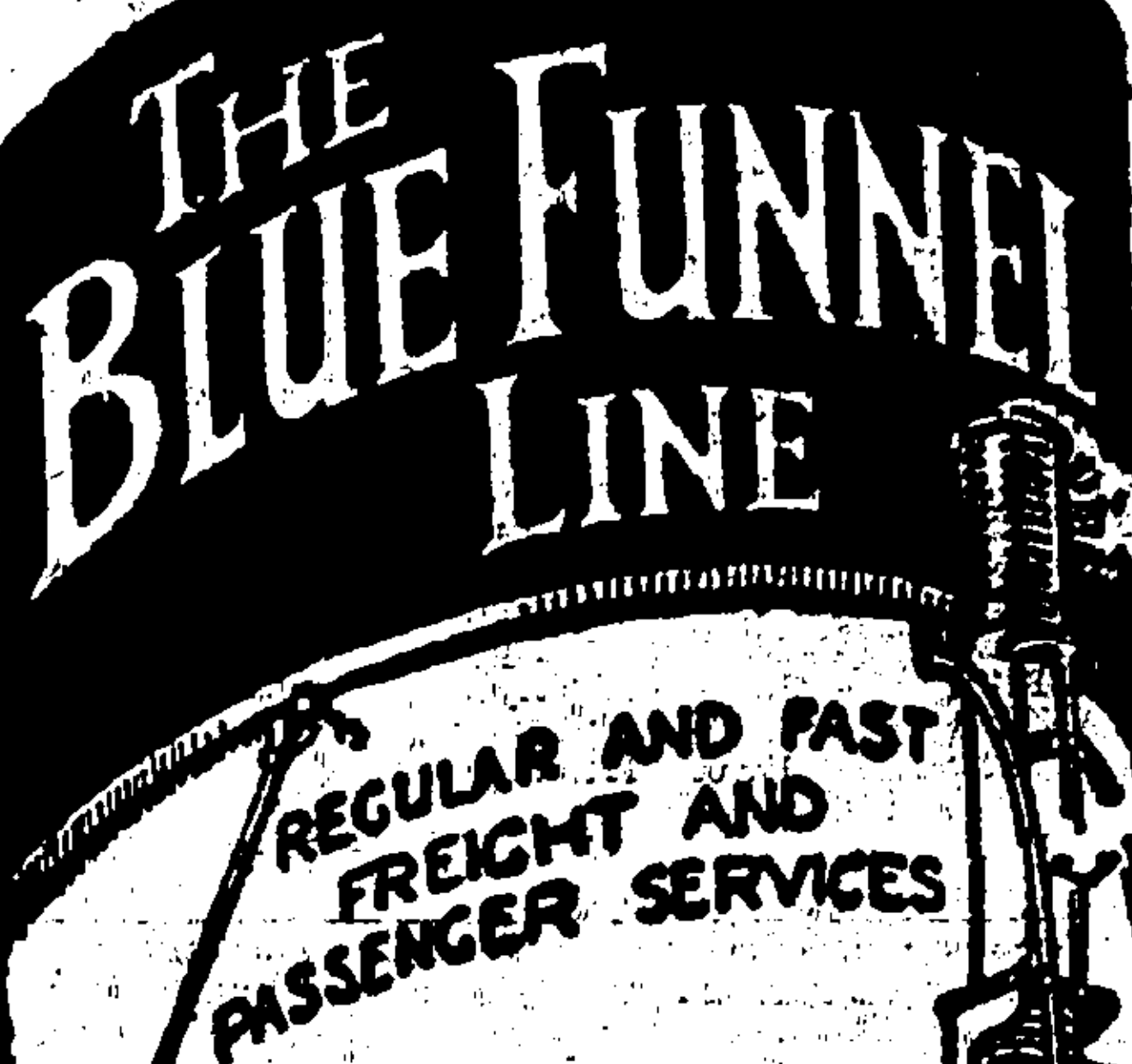
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